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Pay Poll Taxes Now

Poll taxes MUST be paid on or before December 12, 1949. If you want to vote in Virginia Beach's 1950 elections which will fill three council seats and the Treasurer's post.

Christmas Street Lights To Go on Next Wednesday Night

County Supervisors to Petition Highway Department for More Mileage of Secondary Roads.

Back Bay Drainage Project Out Unless Army Takes Over

The Princess Anne County Board of Supervisors will seek to increase the mileage of secondary roads that the State allows to be incorporated yearly in the secondary system.

The board, at the instigation of Walter Maher, member from the Lynnhaven District, will petition District Highway Department officials to confer with the supervisors at their earliest possible convenience with reference to increasing the mileage allocation for new secondary roads in the county.

Local Jaycees Win Honors at State Board Meeting

State Jaycees Accept Invitation to Hold 1950 Convention Here

The Virginia Beach-Princess Anne County Junior Chamber of Commerce came home with honors from the Quarterly State Board Meeting of the Virginia Jaycees in Richmond early this week. They won first award for Class B clubs for the membership campaign they completed; a third place for their sustaining membership drive, the "Annual Football Week-end"; and fourth place in the "I Speak for Democracy" contest.

The local Jaycee delegation, Louis Guy, president, John Tucker, State director, and Frank P. Whitehurst, brought back also the organization's acceptance of Virginia Beach as the site of the 1950 convention, which will be held May 12, 13, and 14.

The group also took with them a resolution to place before the State Board concerning local option for the communities of the State, but withdrew it before action was taken.

Mr. Guy promised that the resolution will be presented for action in the spring. According to a spokesman for the group it was apparent, through an off-record poll, that the majority of the Jaycees in the State would be in favor of the local option resolution when it came to a vote.

The Virginia Beach-Princess Anne Jaycees had already passed the resolution favoring local option, and sent it to all local chambers throughout the State. It asked for referendums at the county level upon the legality of "certain enterprises," which Mr. Guy defined as pari-mutuel betting, other forms of gambling and open bars.

Mr. Guy explained at the Richmond meeting, "We are not forcing gambling anywhere in Virginia, even in our own county, but we do feel that some other sections of the State which are not affected should decide whether it is good or bad for us."

Six Homes Chosen To Be Open for Christmas Tour

The Virginia Beach Garden Club, in drawing up plans for its annual Christmas tour of homes has selected six to be opened to the public on December 14 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The homes, chosen with an eye to variety of setting, include those of Mrs. Floyd Dornier, Holly Road and 52nd Street; Mrs. Taylor Johnson, who is occupying the Hagwood House on the Ocean Front at Avenue E; Mrs. W. Peyton May, Bay Colony; Mrs. Clinton M. Woodhouse, Linkhorn Park; Mrs. Sidney S. Kellam Linkhorn Park; and Mrs. Henry S. Lewis, 61st Street.

Mrs. Lawrence Tucker, in announcing the houses which will be open, said that tickets are available at the Sundial Gift Shop, the Twining Post, and the Cavalier Gift Shop. Funds raised through the Christmas tour will go to municipal playground beautification.

Mrs. Nathan H. Bundy is chairman for the tour.

Let's Buy Virginia Beach!

With Christmas shopping taking precedence over almost every other activity in the next few weeks, it is time to give a thought to the merchants and the businesses of our town.

It is time we made up our minds that "It is smart to trade at home."

It is time for us to wake up and realize that Virginia Beach has everything in the way of merchandise to offer, and many inducements besides — uncrowded stores, space for parking, courtesy, comparable prices, equal quality, and a range of merchandise for all tastes and all pocketbooks.

This is one way to show pride in your community — to show your merchants and businessmen that you believe in them and their integrity, and in the contribution they are making to the growth, progress and prosperity of our community.

These businessmen who have invested in the future of your town are right when they contend that when you shop elsewhere it is an unwarranted reflection on the quality and the price of the merchandise they offer you. They realize that there is the lure of "greener pastures" elsewhere; they realize that they have to fight years of tradition which says, in effect, that one must "go into town" to find what one needs.

They are offering you the best. So let's buy at home. It is by far the best policy.

Joy Fund Drive Begins with Plea to Everyone for Help

The Virginia Beach Lions Club led off the Joy Fund with a donation of \$100. The Presbyterian Men's Club followed with a donation of \$43.55.

The annual Joy Fund drive in Princess Anne County got under way this week when twenty-four organizations met to lay plans for the drive and to elect officers.

Officers are A. W. Craft, chairman; A. C. Peel and E. B. Bayne, vice chairmen; Mrs. J. M. Woolf, secretary; E. C. Baker, treasurer; Ray Cassett and John Bradburn, advertising.

Organizations represented were: the Rev. Edmund Berkeley, Galilee Episcopal Church; Town of Virginia Beach; the Rev. J. Fletcher Osborne, Oceana Methodist Church; Mrs. M. H. Marshall, Princess Anne Ruritan Club; Lillian M. Ashley, Princess Anne Health Department; B. C. Davis and A. D. Newbern, Disabled American Veterans; G. J. Taylor, Virginia Beach Volunteer Fire Department; E. B. Bayne, Virginia Beach Fire Department; Mrs. Herbert Holt and Mrs. G. C. Manson, Senior Woman's Club; Mrs. J. W. W. Lott, Jr., and Mrs. J. M. Woolf, Junior Woman's Club;

Mrs. E. L. Rose, Mrs. E. B. McCoy, Mrs. C. C. Hardy and C. C. Hardy, East Ocean View Presbyterian Church; Mrs. A. L. Salmon, Oak Grove Church; Richetta H. Greene, Mount Olive Baptist Church; B. M. Stanton, Virginia Beach Rotary Club; Sam C. Poole, Jr., Princess Anne Post No. 112, American Legion; Harry H. Rumble, II, Junior Chamber of Commerce; Ray Cassett, Virginia Beach Lions Club; A. W. Craft, Virginia Beach Methodist Church; A. C. Peel, Edward M. Hardy Bible Class and Men's Club, Presbyterian Church; E. C. Baker, Craftsman Club.

Notify these representatives of underprivileged children who will have heavy hearts Christmas Day because Santa Claus failed to remember their stockings, or because they have no stockings! Santa may be sick, injured, unemployed, or barely able to purchase absolute necessities, and these little hearts cannot understand.

Thorough investigation is made on each application, and only the most deserving cases receive help in the form of orders drawn on stores in Princess Anne County that willingly give large discounts on these orders. No cash will be paid, only articles appearing on orders that will bring joy to many pitiful situations.

Your dollars given to Princess Anne Joy Fund will purchase at least one third more because of these generous discounts, and, remember, if you wish to help in Princess Anne, give generously to their fund. Make your donations now through the Virginia Beach News or the Virginia Beach Sun or to any of the representatives in your district.

Also, look through your closets for all the clothing and toys you can spare. The Virginia Beach Fire Department will have the clothing cleaned and the toys repaired and painted. Bring these to, or notify G. J. Taylor, Virginia Beach Esso Service, 17th Street, or Virginia Beach Fire Department.

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Santa Claus to Get Help of Junior Women with Mail

The following letter was received this week at the News office. It is of especial interest to youngsters of Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County.

Dear Children:

Christmas is just around the corner and I'm a busy old "Santa Claus. The Junior Women's Club of your town and county has offered to help me with my mail this year. They are going to put a Special Mail Box in the vestibule of your local Post Office for my letters only. Write your letters early and be sure to put your name and address on them. The Junior Women will collect them and send them to me. I have my radio station hooked up with Station WTAR in Norfolk again this year so if you'll listen each evening at 7 o'clock you may hear your letter read over the air. Now remember, boys and girls, write early and I'll send you a post card to let you know that I have received your letter. SEE YOU CHRISTMAS!

Your best friend,
SANTA CLAUS

P. S. Be good little boys and girls so I won't have to put switches in my bag. That's all!

Santa Claus to Arrive via Fire Truck To Take Part in Lighting Ceremonies

Public Debate on Annexation to be Held December 7

South Beach Civic League Sponsoring Town Meeting

Kidridge Whitehurst and P. W. Ackles will uphold the negative and R. B. Taylor and Lawrence Lockwood the affirmative side of a four-man debate on the subject of annexation of portions of Princess Anne County as proposed by the Town of Virginia Beach.

The debate, which will take the form of a Town Meeting, will be sponsored by the South Virginia Beach Civic League, and will take place at the W. T. Cooke School auditorium on the evening of Wednesday, December 7. It will begin promptly at 8 p.m.

Each speaker will be allowed from 5 to 10 minutes for his original speech, which will be followed by a discussion period between the speakers which will last 15 minutes, and a 15-minute question-and-answer period participated in by the audience.

Mrs. Margaret Klepper, of the South Virginia Beach League, will act as moderator.

Mrs. Klepper, in announcing the Town Meeting, said that after the debate is over, all persons present who are interested in forming a regular Town Meeting will be asked to remain to set a time and meeting place for similar discussions.

Jaycee Christmas Dance December 23 At Piney Point Club

The Christmas Dance of the Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held at the Piney Point Club on December 23, it was announced yesterday.

The dance, which will be open to the public, is an annual event, and plans are underway for a program of entertainment in keeping with the holiday spirit.

Small Arms Firing December 5 to 7 at Camp Pendleton

Small arms firing is scheduled from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., EST, December 5 to 7, 1949, inclusive. The firing will be conducted on the Camp Pendleton small arms range south of Virginia Beach.

A large red flag will be displayed from the firing position where personnel are in the process of firing.

All concerned are cautioned to keep out of this area during actual periods of fire.

Cooke PTA Christmas Tea December 5

The December meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Willoughby T. Cooke School will be held on Monday, December 5 at 3:15 in the school auditorium. The regular business meeting will be followed by the annual Christmas Tea. All mothers are urged to be present.

ORDER OF JOE'S DAUGHTERS TO SPONSOR FARN DANCE

Virginia Beach Bethel No. 17 International Order of Joe's Daughters, will sponsor a tonight (December 2) at Mary's Room music will be by an old time orchestra and dance will be by Mrs. Dinning will begin at 8 p.m. Proceeds benefit of the general fund. The public is invited.

Mrs. W. C. Everett Appointed Dimes Campaign Director

Infantile Paralysis Fund Goal Twice That of Last Year

Mrs. W. C. Everett has been appointed by General Alexander A. Vandegrift to serve as campaign director for Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County in the 1950 March of Dimes campaign for funds to fight infantile paralysis.

As local campaign director, Mrs. Everett will be asked to double the \$6,559.13 contributed in Princess Anne last year.

General Vandegrift, retired commander of the United States Marine Corps, who now lives in Lynchburg, is serving for the second year as the Commonwealth's general chairman for the drive.

"The nation suffered its heaviest toll of polio in 1949 with more than 40,000 persons stricken," said the General as he made state-wide appointments, "and epidemic aid funds are virtually exhausted. Who could say 'No' to the call of duty in this great fight?"

The General also said the country is faced with the certainty that 17,000 victims of 1949 must be cared for in 1950, the greatest carry-over case load in the 12-year history of the Foundation. He said each community must be ready to help new patients in outbreaks predicted in many areas next summer. Patient care alone in 1949 cost \$31,000,000 in March of Dimes funds. This, added to the cost of continuing vital research and educational programs makes it clear that only a united effort in Virginia can boost the March of Dimes to a total sufficient to do a job almost twice as big as any faced before, said General Vandegrift.

In 1949 the state's slogan was "Half a million from the Old Dominion," but in January, 1950, "We must double our contribution; if Virginia is to care for her own," according to General Vandegrift.

Following a brief business session, a program of music heralding the Advent season will be given at Galilee Episcopal Church on Tuesday morning, December 6 at 11 o'clock. An invitation is extended the public.

Musical Program To Herald Advent Season at Galilee

The program is as follows:

1. Violin selection, "Adoration." Borowsky; Carol Trant; Mrs. Aldridge at the organ.
2. "The Virgin's Lullaby." Reiser; Mrs. Thomas Davis.
3. "No Room at the Inn," a solo; Mrs. Addenbrook.
4. Carol, "The Cherry Tree." 12th Century. Ereton; Mrs. Van Buskirk.
5. "Air on the G String." Bach; Carol Trant.
6. "O Lovely Voices of the Sky." Alexander Matthews; Mrs. Davis.
7. "Meody." Dawes; Carol Trant.
8. "The Carol of the Beasts." 12th century; English; Mrs. Addenbrook.
9. "O Holy Night." Adam; Mrs. Davis.
10. Carol on the chimps, "Lullaby." "Thou Tiny Child." Lucille Aldridge.

A buffet luncheon will follow immediately in the Parish House with Mrs. Nathaniel Bundy and Mrs. Landon Hilliard in charge.

Some Merchants to Remain Open Nights; Others Undecided

The Christmas lights will go on next Wednesday night when Santa Claus, chauffeured by Bubba Bayne in one of the town's big fire trucks, will arrive at the Beach to throw the master switch controlling the gay lights on Atlantic Avenue and 17th Street.

Santa Claus will visit the master switch, which is located on Atlantic Avenue between 17th and 18th Streets, at 7:30 p.m., according to A. R. Mailhes, executive director of the Chamber of Commerce.

Virginia Beach store owners are still debating whether or not they will keep open their doors evenings for the convenience of shoppers between now and Christmas. According to Mr. Mailhes, those who have made the decision to remain open nightly are: Denton's, Shelly's, the Outlet Store, and Western Auto.

Other merchants plan to stay open at least one evening a week during the Christmas shopping season.

The annual Christmas lighting was delayed this year through a mix-up in obtaining a k. from the Virginia Electric and Power Company and the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company for stringing the electric wires. The wires were installed on Atlantic Avenue on the East side on telephone poles early in the week, but had to be taken down and re-stringing on the west side of the street after it was discovered that the C. & P. safety code had been violated. The mix-up caused a five-day delay in the lights ceremonies.

Ruritan Club to be Host to Teachers, Ladies Tuesday

The Princess Anne Ruritan Club will play host to the teachers of the county and the ladies of the Ruritan on next Tuesday when they hold the annual banquet in their honor at the Port Story Officers Club at 7 p.m.

Dr. Frank G. Sayers, pastor of the First Christian Church of Petersburg, will be the principal speaker at the annual event. Born in London, Dr. Sayers was for many years in business enterprises that brought him to the United States, until he turned to the ministry in which he has served for twenty-five years. He is a member of Kiwanis International.

Also present at the banquet will be Senator Garland Gray, president of Ruritan International; Curtis Old, vice president; Marian Gray, executive secretary; Tom Downing, secretary; and Paul Everett, past president.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF GALILEE CHURCH TO HOLD YOLL SALE TUESDAY

Dolls—all kinds of dolls: baby dolls, bride dolls, twin dolls—will be sold next Tuesday afternoon, December 6 from noon until 3 p.m. by the Woman's Auxiliary of Galilee Church. Place of the sale: the parish house, "The Haven."

YOLL LOAN SERVICE NOW AVAILABLE AT BEACH

H. B. Tatum, Jr., real estate agent on 31st Street, has added a YOLL Loan Service to his brokerage business. Mr. Tatum, the first at the Beach to provide YOLL loan service, will handle both construction and private dwelling loans.

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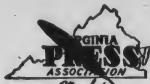
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W. R. M. MOSS

In the death last Saturday of W. R. M. Moss, Virginia Beach lost
a devoted citizen and public servant. Mr. Moss, during his tenure as
postmaster at Virginia Beach, showed himself to be the right man
for an arduous and difficult task, for he handled the Post Office in
the tradition of efficiency that has been set up for that job.

His many friends in the county and at Virginia Beach have lost
a good man and a good friend.

TOLL HIGHWAYS AND DOG TRACKS

(Reprinted from the Roanoke World News of November 24, 1949)

Two matters to come before the Virginia Legislature in January
have their inception in the Tidewater recreation area, but if approved
would establish precedents of interest to the whole State as reversals
of existing policy.

A group of people are promoting the idea of a toll drive along
the Atlantic Ocean from Virginia Beach to Nag's Head and perhaps
on to Cape Hatteras. Presumably they intend to recoup their invest-
ment both from tolls and from real estate and resort developments
along the way. North Carolina is said to be willing but the consent
of the Virginia Legislature is required.

Return of tolls on top of a six cents a gallon gasoline tax seems
an anachronism, though the famous Pennsylvania Turnpike has been
built on that principle, and other toll roads are now projected. It is
presumed that the Atlantic Coastal Highway would be a scenic drive,
with limited access, and with no heavy trucks. It would require special
legislation to permit the State Highway Department to build and
operate such a road, though present legislation authorizes toll charges
on certain bridges.

The other proposition is more controversial. Currituck County in
North Carolina, just over the line from Virginia Beach, during the
past summer operated dog racing with pari-mutuel betting, and is
said to have drawn an immense amount of tourist trade from Virginia.

The first report on the 68-day racing program in Currituck shows
that the County took in \$90,000; that total receipts were \$4,821,494,
and daily average of bets \$70,000. Extensive additions are planned
before next spring.

The suspiciously rosy report says that dog racing with legalized
betting in Currituck did not bring any problem of public behavior
that the single arrest at the tracks was of a drunk. There was no rob-
bery, no pocket-picking and "not even a fender dented on the park-
ing lot."

One can well understand that the Norfolk-Virginia Beach area
is restive over a tourist attraction just over the State line in Carolina.
One new member of the House of Delegates from Norfolk was chosen
on the issue of legalized racing where a community desires it.

For ourselves we have little interest in dog races of the Miami
kind, whether legalized or not. There is no finer sport than trials of
speed between blooded horses, and Virginia raises some of the finest,
but has to take them elsewhere for racing. The objection there is not
to the horses, but to the touts and shady characters who seem to be
inextricable followers of the tracks.

So far as betting is concerned Virginia law now forbids gambling
of all kinds, and it does not seem likely that the Virginia Legislature
will change its opinion on that subject. If it should do so, the pari-
mutuel system of legalized and supervised betting is much to be pre-
ferred to the furtive and elusive pari-mutuel who now conducts his
illegal operations behind the scenes at State and County fairs.

If there is to be any relaxation of the standards of which most
Virginians approve, to meet the demands of resort and recreation
areas, it should be on a local option basis. No community should have
dog races imposed on it without its own consent.

3 SHOPPING WEEKS LEFT



BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS!

Al Mailhes on Travel Council Tour

Albin R. Mailhes, executive sec-
retary of the Virginia Beach
Chamber of Commerce, has left
for Florida where he will repre-
sent the local Chamber on the
Virginia Travel Council's Flori-
dian Good Will Tour from December 5
to December 13.

The tour is a return visit from
Virginia resort interests to Flori-
da, after a similar tour by Flori-
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ter from I. T. Quinn, Commission-
er of Game and Inland Fisheries
informing the board that the
commission feels that the propos-
al to build a \$40,000 sea-level canal
from Rudee Inlet to Back Bay
to alleviate the flooding conditions
in the farm land of that
area and preserve food for wild
life is too expensive to undertake
at this time.

The board had forwarded to
the commission the proposal to
build the canal some months ago.
The project would change the
flow of water from south to north,
and would eliminate the stagnant,
or black water, from the swamp
areas which has been killing off
the wild grasses which are the
staple food of the migratory birds
which frequent the area.

The cost of \$40,000, the super-
visors had believed, would be par-
tially covered by the Pittman-
Robertson funds allocated to the
State for preservation of wild life.

Ruritan Club District
Meeting December 2
At Cavalier Hotel

District A of the Ruritan Club
will hold its District Meeting at
the Cavalier Hotel on December
2. Rell Seward, District Gover-
nor, will preside over the business
meeting which some 400 Ruritans
are expected to attend. All club
presidents of the district will
make their reports in the course
of the business session, and elec-
tions will take place.

Dr. P. Rowland Wagner, of Nor-
folk, will be principal speaker at
the banquet which will follow the
afternoon business meeting. Other
speakers will include the newly
elected district governor.

W. P. Keilam, retiring president
of the Princess Anne Ruritans,
will serve as toastmaster.

Mr. Quinn, in his letter, point-
ed out that the Corps of Army
Engineers has under consideration
a similar project but on a much
larger scale.

Trailer Camp Licenses

The board passed on first read-
ing an ordinance which would tax
trailer camps at the rate of \$24
for each trailer they can accom-
modate. It was explained that if
provisions are made for ten trail-
ers at a time in a trailer camp
that the total license fee accord-

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Little Theatre Group Broadcasts Program Over WGH, WSAP

Mrs. Constance Crockett Coe,
by Mrs. Martha Hoffheimer and

Mrs. Mita McMenamin appeared with Mildred Alexander over Radio Station WGH, Norfolk, Thursday, and Miss Carol Simpson, Mrs. Ruth Van Buskirk, and Mrs. McMenamin made a transcription at Radio Station WSAP, Portsmouth, which will be broadcast tonight at 10 p.m. The subject discussed on the program was the organization of the Little Theatre at Virginia Beach and Monterey, Mexico, and its origin, worldwide, together with the production of "Candle Light," a comedy which will be presented at the Community House Mondays and Tuesdays, December 5 and 6 at 8:30 p.m.

Chesapeake Beach, Ocean Park Teens Hold Joint Party

The regular weekly party of the Chesapeake Beach Teens, sponsored by the Woman's Club of Chesapeake Beach, will be held Saturday night, December 3, at 8 o'clock at the Community House. Mrs. Raymond Clifton, Youth Conservation chairman of the Woman's Club, will be in charge of arrangements and another pleasant evening is in store for the youth of Chesapeake Beach and vicinity.

Saturday night, November 26, the Chesapeake Beach Teens entertained the Ocean Park Teens at a Thanksgiving party. Approximately 50 young people were present. Games and dancing were popular features of entertainment, and festivities ended with a Thanksgiving feast provided by the girls and boys. This was the second party held jointly by the two cubs, the first being a Halloween party held in October by the Ocean Park Teens.

LECTURE TO BE GIVEN BY
DR. MINA KERR DECEMBER 8

Dr. Mina Kerr will speak on December 8, at 11 a.m. at the

Galilee Parish House on "Sweet." This is one of Dr. Kerr's regular's Message Out of Africa for early scheduled lectures, although the date has been moved ahead.

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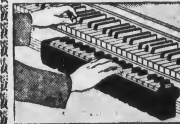
Miss Constance Craig Cooke entertained last night at a buffet supper and lingerie shower honoring Miss Alice Gray Wade, whose marriage to Ralph Tracy Mills, Jr., will take place Friday, December 9, at the Virginia Beach Methodist Church.

Guests included Patsy Conway, Catherine Meeks, Anne Lucas, Jeanette Coleman, Dot Spence, Martha Hoota, Frances Caffrey, Beth Gayle, Beverly Neal, Jeanette Crawford, June Williams, Skitty Falconer and Capple Crosswhite.

Miss Cooke will be Miss Wade's maid of honor in the wedding.

Misses Elizabeth and Julia deWitt were the guests for the Thanksgiving holidays of their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius deWitt, in Richmond, and their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Woodley, at their home, "Beechwood," in Southampton County.

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June Fay Smith to Wed H. R. Entwisle December 27

Mr. Viola Higginson announces the engagement of her daughter, June Fay Smith, to Henry Robin Entwisle, III, of Washington, D. C., and Virginia Beach.

Miss Smith is a graduate of Oceana High School and attended Radford College.

Mr. Entwisle, son of Mrs. Madeleine Hatcher, of Virginia Beach, is a graduate of Warrenton High School and served in the U. S. Marine Corps during World War II.

The wedding will take place on December 27 at the London Bridge Baptist Church.

Jack Sawyer and Miss Mary Ann Diabrow have returned to their homes in Philadelphia, Pa. after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. Sawyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sawyer, at their home on 38th Street.

Mrs. Norman Scott and Mrs. Edgar Graham have returned to their homes after a motor trip to South Carolina and Georgia.

Mrs. Winifred Nixon Greene has returned to her home on 54th Street after being a patient at the Virginia Beach Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Long spent last week-end in Chapel Hill, N. C., and attended the Virginia-Carolina football game.

Miss Kirkland Tucker has returned to Sweet Briar College after spending the week-end in Chapel Hill, N. C., and attending the Virginia-Carolina football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and Miss Ellen Love Smith left Tuesday to spend a week in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox Dunn and two children and Miss Emil, Dunn have returned to their homes after spending the holidays in Richmond and Charlottesville.

Lieut. and Mrs. Robert Ball and young daughter, Alexis, who have been visiting Lieut. Ball's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones, at their home on Atlantic Avenue, have left to make their home at Scott Field, Ill., where Lieut. Ball is stationed for duty.

Miss Betty Face Hatch and her room mate, Miss Betts Ann Norris, of Bangor, Maine, have returned to Mary Washington College after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Miss Hatch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hatch, at their home on 18th Street.

MR. AND MRS. RICHARD TUCKER, OF PITTSBURGH, PA., HONORED AT PARTIES

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Parks entertained Sunday of last week at their home, "Calverton," on the Lynnhaven River at a cocktail party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who were guests last week at the Princess Anne Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tucker and Mrs. Braden Vandever entertained Thanksgiving afternoon at the home of Mrs. Vandever in Norfolk at a cocktail party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker. Their guests numbered about twenty-five.

Mr. and Mrs. Terence Lovenbach, of Paris, France, and Brussels, Belgium, were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tucker, of Pittsburgh, Pa., at the Princess Anne Club.

Robert Woodhouse, Jr., has resumed his studies at Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va., after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Woodhouse, at their home on Raleigh Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goodridge and children have returned to their home on Ocean Avenue after spending Thanksgiving with Mrs. Goodridge's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Lawson, in Roanoke, Va., and attending the V. M. I.-V. P. I. football game.

Mrs. W. Willard Washburn has returned to her home after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Laughridge, and her grandmother, Mrs. M. H. Hickson, in Shelby, N. C.

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Leon F. Herbert announce the birth of a daughter, Nancy Lee, on November 20, in Garfield Hospital in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Herbert is the former Miss Nancy Van Patten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Van Patten.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Murphy, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter, Annet Elizabeth, born November 26 at the Norfolk General Hospital. Mrs. Murphy is the former Miss Annet Cooley, daughter of Mrs. W. R. Larrow.

Mrs. Goldsborough Robinson and her sister, Miss Mary Boyd, have returned to their home, the Dundee Inn, after spending several weeks in Louisville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. K. MacDonald and two children, Kerry and Mary, have returned to their home after spending two weeks in Florida.

Carolyn Louise Beckett Marries

Phillip Blaine Oliver, Jr., Saturday

The marriage of Miss Carolyn Louise Beckett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rae Beckett, of Virginia Beach, to Phillip Blaine Oliver, Jr., son of Phillip Blaine Oliver and the late Mrs. Oliver, took place Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Star of the Sea Catholic Church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Phillip Brennan, pastor of the church, with a setting of cathedral candle, white gladioli, chrysanthemums and anaparras. Miss Dianne Standing, church organist, played the wedding music.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a dress of white silk lace over pale blue satin, fashioned with a rolled collar, fitted bodice, long sleeves tapering to points over the hands, and a very full hooped skirt. Her matching bonnet of pale blue satin was covered in maline, and

she carried an old-fashioned bouquet of white orchids, chrysanthemums and stephanotis.

Mrs. Walter Rae Beckett, Jr., of Dayton, Ohio, was matron of honor for her sister-in-law. She wore an ankle-length gown of periwinkle blue satin with small cut-lapel, long tight sleeves and a full skirt. Her bonnet was of matching satin and she carried a bouquet of mixed flowers.

Little Miss Marbury Taylor Plant was flower girl. She wore a blue silk Kate Greenaway dress made with off-the-shoulder neckline, tight bodice, short puffed sleeves and a full hooped skirt. Her matching silk bonnet was tied under her chin and she carried a Colonial bouquet of mixed flowers. Rowland Meredith Jones was best man, and the groomsmen were Charles Forbes and I. Lee Chapman.

guests, numbered 40.

Miss Ironmonger was the guest of honor at 1 o'clock Saturday at a bridesmaids' luncheon given by her cousin, Miss Mary Lou Miller, of Beckley, W. Va., at her cottage at 38th Street and Pacific Avenue. Other guests, in addition to the guest of honor, were: Mrs. Luther Talmage Ironmonger, Mrs. Nathan Hollister Bundy, Mrs. J. Milton Miller, Misses Susan Evans Taylor, of Morganton, N. C.; Sara McCready Ironmonger, Frances Perkins Martin, Marguerite Cabell

Overby, Conrad Little, Anne Louise Albergotti, Margaret Ashby Jenkins, Jeanne Tudor Freeman and Isabel Fogel Roper.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hix returned Monday to their home in Bay Colony after visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. John Coke, in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gimberty spent Thanksgiving in Roanoke and attended the V. M. L. V. P. I. football game.

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Marie Ironmonger Becomes Bride Of Nathan Bundy, Jr., Saturday

The marriage of Miss Marie Miller Ironmonger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Talmage Ironmonger, to Nathan Hollister Bundy, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hollister Bundy, took place Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church in Norfolk. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Jason Leon MacMillan, pastor of the church.

In the presence of a large assembly of relatives and friends, Horace Jones, organist of the church, played the wedding music. The church was decorated with viburnum ferns, southern smilax, white flowers and cathedral candles.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a wedding gown of bridal white satin fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, basque bodice and tight sleeves, puffed at the shoulders, tapering to points over the wrists. The buxant skirt, over crinoline, formed a full circular train. Her full length veil of imported French illusion fell from a cap of rose point lace, and she carried a cascade bouquet of white roses and

bouvardia. Her only ornament was a heirloom diamond and pearl lavalier.

Miss Sara McCready Ironmonger was her sister's maid of honor and was gown in American Beauty Lyons velvet. The bridesmaids, Misses Mary Lou Miller, of Beckley, W. Va., cousin of the bride; Conrad Little, cousin of the bridegroom; Anne Louise Albergotti and Jeanne Tudor Freeman wore gowns of antique gold velvet, and Susan Evans Taylor, of Morganton, N. C.; Margaret Ashby Jenkins, Marguerite Cabell Overby and Frances Perkins Martin wore gowns of lime peel green velvet. All the attendants carried bouquets of lily of the valley type pom-pom chrysanthemums.

Edward Roane Wilcox, Jr., was best man for Mr. Bundy. The groomsmen were Samuel B. Gilpin, III, of Haverford, Pa.; James G. Hellmuth, of Washington, D. C.; Stephen Potter, of Buffalo, N. Y.; George Wisham Roper, II, John Lonsdale Roper, III, Harvey Lee Lindsay, Jr., E. Bradford Tazewell, Jr., and Robert Pascal Albergotti, Jr.

Honor Guests at Pre-Nuptial Party

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hollister Bundy entertained Friday evening

at a buffet supper at their home on 81st Street in honor of their son, Nathan Hollister Bundy, Jr., and Miss Marie Miller Ironmonger, whose marriage took place Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Presbyterian Church in Norfolk.

The party followed the rehearsal of the wedding and the guests, who included members of the wedding party and out-of-town



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Alice Brewer White Gives Talk on Bus Travel in Richmond

Alice Brewer White, woman's director of WTAR, was given the topic "It's Fun If You Know How" for her talk on bus travel, before the Virginia Passenger Bus Association at their annual convention Monday and Tuesday in Richmond.

Mrs. White, who has lived at the Beach for the past two and a half years, commutes to Norfolk daily via bus and has made several long bus trips to Texas and the mid-West studying methods and manners in traveling. Her semi-annual fashion showing trips are made via plane.

Mrs. White and her mother, Mrs. Alice P. Brewer, are residing at the Hotel Prince Charles here at the Beach during the winter months.



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We said that this attack, if successful, would mean the end of A&P as you know it.

We said that it would mean higher food prices for American consumers.

We said that if they succeed in destroying A&P the way would be cleared for the destruction of other efficient large-scale retailers.

We thought the American people were entitled to know about this threat to their welfare and standard of living:

Since that time, however, the anti-trust lawyers have been making speeches, talking over the radio, writing letters and giving stories to the newspapers, in which they say we are all wrong.

They say that this suit will not close a single A&P store; and that instead of raising food prices it will lower them.

And they have tried to give the impression that nobody will be hurt by this decision except the present owners of A&P.

We don't think that the American people want to be confused by these statements. We know that when they have the facts, they will understand that this case can affect the living standards and the way of life of every American citizen.

Here are the facts:

It Will Destroy A&P

The anti-trust lawyers have repeatedly stated that "the suit will not result in the closing of a single A&P store", and that "the purpose of the suit is to enjoin A&P from continuing activity which has been held to violate the law."

The fact is that the suit is designed not only to "enjoin" A&P from alleged illegal activities, but actually to destroy the company.

Here is what they have asked the court to do:

Break up A&P's retail stores into seven groups, each of which must be sold to different owners, and operated under new management.

Order us to sell A&P's factories, which produce many of the fine foods you find in our stores, to still other new owners.

Prevent any of the seven groups of stores from operating any of the factories.

None of the present owners, who have made A&P what it is today, can have anything to do with either the stores or the factories.

The first A&P store was opened 90 years ago. For the past 50 years the

company has been managed by George L. Hartford and John A. Hartford.

These are the men who have pioneered the policy of low-cost, low-profit, low-price food retailing which has won A&P the patronage of millions of American families and given them more good food for their money.

If the anti-trust lawyers have their way, these men and other company executives will be completely out of the picture. No one can predict what the policies of the new owners of the various parts of A&P will be.

No one can predict that they will sell the same quality food at the same low prices, or that they will keep the same employees, or give them the same high wages, short hours, pensions and security.

Nor, despite the anti-trust lawyers' statement, can anyone tell how many A&P stores will remain open or will be closed.

So, while there may be a food store where your A&P is now located, it won't be your A&P store.

Make no mistake about it. If the anti-trust lawyers win their suit it will mean the end of A&P as you know it.

Your Food Will Cost More

The anti-trust lawyers have repeatedly stated that the suit will not increase, but should decrease, grocery prices.

Anybody who has ever shopped in an A&P store, or has ever taken a high-school course in economics, knows better than that.

Everyone knows that A&P's policy has always been to keep costs and profits at a minimum so that it can sell good food cheap.

The very heart of the anti-trust lawyers' case is that A&P's methods, which they claim are illegal, have enabled the company to undersell competitors. How can anyone possibly say that you will get lower food prices by eliminating the company that has done so much to bring them down?

Actually, there is no question that this suit, if successful, will mean higher food prices for A&P customers.

Here is just one of a number of reasons:

We manufacture many of the quality foods we sell in our stores, such as Bokar, Red Circle and Eight O'Clock coffees, Ann Page foods, White House milk, and many others.

The anti-trust lawyers admit that we pass along these manufacturing savings to our customers in the form of lower prices.

But, the anti-trust lawyers have asked the court to order us to get rid of our manufacturing facilities, which would put an end to all these savings.

This means that if these A&P brands continued to be manufactured, you would have to pay higher prices for them wherever you found them.

The anti-trust lawyers say that food prices would go down in other stores. They claim that food manufacturers would be able to sell cheaper to other grocers because they would not have to make up alleged losses they now incur in selling to A&P.

This, of course, is pure nonsense. The suppliers who voluntarily seek our business and are now rushing to our defense obviously find it profitable to deal with A&P. Actually, their sales to this company enable them to build up their volume, reduce their costs, and sell more cheaply to all grocers.

The elimination of A&P from the picture would tend to increase, rather than decrease, the wholesale cost of food; and this, in turn, will be reflected in increases in retail prices.

Make no mistake about it. If the anti-trust lawyers succeed in putting A&P out of business you will find your food bill is higher.

Others Will Be Hurt

The anti-trust lawyers have insisted that this suit will not affect other distributors, "nor will it destroy any efficiencies of mass distribution."

The fact is that the anti-trust lawyers ask the court to break up the company, make it get rid of its admittedly legal manufacturing operations and in general destroy many of the efficiencies which have enabled it to sell food cheaper.

If such an attack is successful, it immediately raises the likelihood of similar attacks on other chain stores.

The anti-trust lawyers are saying that they "do not contemplate any other suits of this nature at this time."

But that does not mean that they cannot undertake such suits at any future time if they win this case.

As a matter of fact, the anti-trust lawyers made practically the same allegations against two of our largest competitors that they are making against us. And it can also be used as the basis for an attack against other grocers and merchants in other lines.

There are today literally thousands of chain stores, voluntary groups and individual merchants operating with the same methods and in the same pattern here under attack.

If A&P is destroyed, no businessman could safely pursue an aggressive sales policy designed to lower prices and give his customers a better deal if by so doing he takes business away from any competitor.

Even if the anti-trust lawyers have no intention now of prosecuting other suits, a decision against A&P will establish a precedent that could be used by the present anti-trust lawyers, or any future anti-trust lawyers, to destroy any efficient business that buys cheaply, sells cheaply, and grows big in the process.

Such a decision would mean the end of the vigorous, healthy price competition which has given this country the highest standard of living ever enjoyed by any people anywhere in the history of the world.

The anti-trust lawyers are trying to give a new interpretation to the anti-trust laws that, instead of preserving competition, will reduce competition. They are trying, by court decision, to impose a new kind of economic policy on the people of this country.

Make no mistake about it. If they succeed in destroying A&P they will be destroying the method of distribution that has helped make the American standard of living the envy of the world.



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Teen Age Club News Community House

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Talent Show

At a meeting of the Septem Club held Tuesday night at 8 p.m., it was decided to hold a talent show for the teen age of Virginia Beach. This show will be composed of the talent of our teen age groups. Those wishing to enter should see one of the members of the Septem Club. If you think you have any talent of any kind, come and help us put this show over. We need the money badly in order to keep our Teen Age Club on its feet. There will be a prize for the winner of this show, so do your best kids. If you are interested in our show, keep your eyes peeled on this column every week for more news about this important event. Until next week I remain yours for better talent.

—Jo-Anne Johnson

Can You Imagine??

Only 3 months of school and 9 months vacation? Dot Spence married? Shirley Davis not confused and understanding a movie? Patsy Conway and Betty Henley thinking? Catherine Meeks not fussing about a certain boy from Norfolk not coming to see her at least five times a week? Bobby Bourdon not thinking about

Elaine? Tommy Lucas being short? Lee Scarborough being quiet in biology? Beverly Neal without Jeanette Crawford? Carol Smedley with one flame instead of four? Dickie Munford being quiet? Sally Trobough without Tommy B?

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Someday
Dreamers Holiday

—"Tunesters"

Personal Interviews

Name: Skitz Falconer; Address: 317 16th Street; Age: 16; Place of Birth: Virginia Beach; Ideal Boy: Sonny; Favorite Sport: Football; Ambition: To get married.

Name: Sibyl White; Address: 209 16th Street; Age: 17; Place of Birth: Virginia Beach; Ideal Boy: Smokey; Favorite Sport: Swimming; Ambition: Doctor's Technician; Most Embarrassing

Moment: Time I got sand in my false teeth.

Name: Connie Cooke; Address: 210 22nd Street; Age: 16; Place of Birth: Richmond; Ideal Boy: Black hair, blue eyes, about 6 ft. 2 in., has to weigh about 200 lbs.; Favorite Sport: Boys Basketball; Ambition: To get married; Most Embarrassing Moment: When I broke a date and got caught.

Name: Pat Conway; Address: Oceana; Age: 16; Place of Birth: Parsons, Kansas; Ideal Boy: Tall and red-headed; Favorite Sport: Dancing; Ambition: To be a woman of distinction; Most Embarrassing Moment: The night mother met me at the front door.

Name: Anne Lucas; Address: Oceana; Age: 17; Place of Birth: Fayetteville, N. C.; Ideal Boy: Tommy Gardner; Favorite Sport: Football; Ambition: 715 W. Princess Anne Road; Most Thrilling Moment: When Tommy made All Foreman Field.

Sorority to Meet Tuesday

The Teen Age Sorority will hold its regular meeting Tuesday night in the Community House. The sorority consists of nine young ladies at the present time. The coming meeting will be to discuss our program for Christmas. We will have our usual Christmas tree in the lobby and we are in hopes of having more gala decorations than last year. Another plan to be discussed at this meeting will be a dance and several parties to raise funds for the aid of several unfortunate families at the Beach. The aid would be in the form of clothes, candy, nuts and fruits. If our sorority could accomplish such an undertaking it would certainly be a great thing. Let's all put our heads together and make this Christmas the best yet.

—Wm. H. Fantone, Director

JOY FUND

(Continued from Front Page)

ment, and arrangements will be made to pick them up. DO IT NOW! Time is required for cleaning and repairs to toys. These used toys will mean more to the children who will receive them than they did to yours when they received them new.

Applications for families you know of are also available at the above places. After investigation, all applications will be screened December 19, and donations will be stretched as far as possible. How much joy can be spread over the county is up to each person. So give generously! Send your donations now to the Virginia Beach News, Virginia Beach Sun, or any of your local representatives listed above.

Postmaster W. R. M. Moss, 54, Dies Here Saturday

Funeral services for William Robinson Murphy Moss, 54, postmaster at Virginia Beach, died at his residence 2706 Pacific Avenue, Saturday at 3:15 p.m., were conducted Monday at 10 a.m. at the H. D. Oliver Funeral Apartments. The Rev. Jason L. MacMillan, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Norfolk, officiated. Interment was in

the Wicomico Episcopal Church Cemetery, Westmoreland County, near in the day.

Palbearers at Norfolk services were J. A. Hagan, John B. Jenkins, Jr., Walter Doyle, P. A. Van Patten, Leigh D. Williams, Sidney G. Kellam, A. Hugh Simons and B. B. Burroughs.

A native of Chester, Pa., Mr. Moss had resided at Virginia Beach 20 years. He was a veteran of World War I.

His wife, Mrs. Ada Tyler Moss, is a daughter of the former Episcopal Bishop of North Dakota. Also surviving are his parents.

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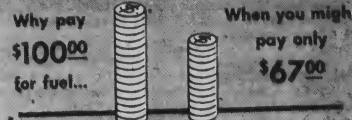
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Pay Poll Taxes Now

Poll taxes MUST be paid on or before December 12, 1949. If you want to vote in Virginia Beach's 1950 elections which will fill three council seats and the Treasurer's post.

Joy Fund Contributions Total Less Than \$600; Just a Small Portion of Amount Needed

Many Children in County Will Not See Santa Without Help

Share your Joy this Christmas! Make your Christmas morning prayer because you know you have directed Santa Claus to the home of an underprivileged child through your donation to the Joy Fund!

There will be hundreds of children in Princess Anne County who will awaken Christmas morning without Santa unless you donate

DONATIONS	
Grace Jordan	\$ 1.00
Leans Club	100.00
Presbyterian Men's Club	55.55
E. H. Church	10.00
Lina Cameron	5.00
Craftsmen Club	25.00
American Legion	54.00
Junior Woman's Club	100.00
G. K. Willis	10.00
James Koutopoulos	10.00
Rotary Club	100.00
Pyrofax Gas Co.	10.00
The H. A. Cleftons	25.00
Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Sullivan	25.00
K. C. Johnson	25.00
A Friend	1.00
In Memory of C. L. R.	15.00
Sarah W. Brown	2.00

to this fund. Like your own youngsters, these children expect Santa will stop and leave them something.

They cannot understand that sickness, unemployment, accidents or large families prevent Santa from visiting them. Your dollars sent to this Joy Fund will purchase one-third more because the merchants in the county give generous discounts on all orders issued to specific persons for purchase from the Joy Fund. No money will be given them; each application for Joy for needy children will be checked before December 19, at which time the orders will be issued.

All donations must be sent in before December 19. Make them payable to the Princess Anne Joy Fund and mail or take them to the Virginia Beach News or the Virginia Beach Seal. DO IT NOW — TIME IS SHORT!

If you wish to help county children give your donations to Princess Anne Joy Fund. Money received will only be used for county children. Donations made to other Joy Funds will not help Princess Anne children!

If you know of needy families, file applications with the Virginia Beach Seal Station, 17th Street; "Bubbe" Bayne, Virginia Beach Fire Department; or Ray Cassett, Pyrofax Gas Co., Phone Norfolk 24849 or Virginia Beach 328.

Gains Made in Search for Polio Vaccine, an Important Step

Success of Dimes Campaign Essential To Further Study

Development of a method for growing polio virus in non-nervous tissue in a test tube marks a "scientific first" for that disease and brings a preventive polio vaccine one step closer to realization. It was disclosed today by the Wallace Clark, president of the Virginia Beach-Princess Anne County Chapter, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Citing a resume prepared by the National Foundation outlining the past year's accomplishments in polio research, Mrs. Clark said financial obligations imposed by last year's record polio epidemic threaten to retard these studies, unless the March of Dimes campaign January 14-31 meets with an overwhelming response from the American people.

Santa Claus Wants To Visit Homes

Santa Claus has arrived at Virginia Beach and he wants to see every little boy and girl, either white or colored. If there is a sick child in your home, please call Mrs. Albin R. Mailles, Phone 495-R, chairman of Santa's visits, or Mrs. J. Goodenow Tyler, Phone 963, and make an appointment for a visit from Santa Claus in your home. The Junior Woman's Club of Princess Anne County is sponsoring these visits and is making every effort to see that this Christmas will be merry and bright for all.

Don't forget Santa's special special Mail Box in the vestibule of the local Post Office. There's no delay on North Pole mail from this box for the Junior Women. Men are seeing that these letters are rushed through to Santa. Listen each evening at 7 o'clock for letters to be read by Santa over Station WTAR, Norfolk.

Christmas Cantata At Presbyterian Church December 18

"The Coming of the King," the cantata from "The Christian Year," by Dudley Buck, will be presented by the choir of the First Presbyterian Church on Sunday, December 18, at 8 p.m., in the traditional candle-light service of the church. The choir is under the direction of Mrs. G. Russell Glimbert, and Mrs. Charles H. Hitchens will be at the organ.

The service will open with the processional, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," by Wesley-Mendelssohn. Soloists will be Mrs. Thomas Davies, Mrs. W. Fred Bonney, Jr., and Miss Peggy Gregg; Joe White, James Midgett, W. Fred Bonney, Jr., Marvin Hardy, Ben McCleskey and B. R. McCotter.

Other members of the choir are Misses Joanne Sterling, Gladys Davis, Jane Kessler and Gretchen Kime, soprano; Mrs. Hugh R. Ridd, Misses Faye Lee Green and Joan Kearney, alto; W. P. Patton, Marvin Hardy and G. Russell Glimbert.

Following the recessional, "O Come, All Ye Faithful," by Oakeley-Wade, the benediction will be pronounced by the pastor, the Rev. Robert P. Davis.

In 1948, according to the National Safety Council, figures from 23 states indicated that 57 percent of the drivers involved in fatal automobile accidents were violating a traffic regulation at the time of the accident.



CHRISTMAS TOUR OF HOMES—Preparing for the annual Christmas Tour of Homes, sponsored by the Virginia Beach Garden Club, which takes place on December 14, Mrs. Floyd Dornire plans for the decorations of the doorway of her home on Holly Road and 12th Street, assisted by other members of the Garden Club. Shown are, left to right, Mrs. James Bridges, Mrs. Dornire, Mrs. Hardy Cole, and Mrs. E. M. Hardy. (Simmons Photo)

Dr. Laubach To Speak December 16 At Galilee Church

Luncheon to Follow Address by Noted Missionary Educator

Dr. Frank C. Laubach, world-known missionary educator and literacy expert, will speak at the Galilee Episcopal Church at 10:30 a.m. Friday, December 16.

A luncheon will be served in the new parish house, The Haven, at 12:15 p.m. to which those attending will bring sandwiches, while coffee will be served by the ladies of the church. Everyone is invited to these meetings with the business men receiving a particular invitation.

Dr. Laubach's subject, "The New Christian Strategy in the World Crisis," or "Literacy as a weapon against Communism and as a means of bringing Christianity to the backward areas of the world," is most timely in the light of events in Asia where he has spent many months in the last two years.

Governments and Christian mission in 61 countries have been helped by Dr. Laubach in setting up campaigns against illiteracy. By his literacy methods, and modifications influenced by his methods, it is estimated that approximately 60 million people have learned to read in 175 of the world's languages.

In 1948, he assisted the United Nations Educational, Cultural and Scientific Organization to prepare recommendations for a world plan of fundamental education.

Dr. Laubach is the author of "Toward A Literate World," "Teaching the World to Read," and "The Simplified English Series," including "The Story of Jesus."

He has just returned from a speaking tour of England and is visiting 15 cities in the East and Midwest where he will address college, business, civic and other groups on the vital importance of teaching the world to read.

His tour is sponsored by the Committee on World Literacy and Christian Literature of the Foreign Missions Conference, the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, the Student Volunteer Movement, and Agricultural Missions, Inc., nationally and by local individuals and the publishers of Virginia Beach.

The pupils of Everett School will sing Christmas carols in the ball room of the Cavalier Hotel on Saturday afternoon, December 17, at 3:30 p.m.

Parents and friends are invited to attend the Christmas program in which more than a hundred children will participate.

The room will be decorated by a committee of mothers, of which Mrs. Lowry D. Finley, Jr., is chairman.



SPEAKER — Dr. Frank C. Laubach noted educator, who will speak at Galilee Church, Friday morning, December 16, at 10:30 a.m.

Lynnhaven Civic League Turkey Shoot December 17

Proceeds of Event at Eureka Ball Park to Go to Building Fund

An invitation has been extended to the public to attend the Lynnhaven Civic League's annual Turkey Shoot, which will be held on Saturday, December 17.

Final plans for the event were made at the Monday evening meeting at which the president, Dr. John Lippincott, presided.

The shoot will be held at the Eureka Ball Park, on the Virginia Beach Boulevard, about one mile east of the Pine Tree Inn.

A spokesman for the League said that the meet will begin at 12 noon and last until darkness puts a stop to the shooting. The League will furnish guns for the marksmen or they may bring their own; ammunition will be furnished by the League. Ladies also have been invited to attend to display their marksmanship.

Proceeds of the turkey shoot will be added to the building fund of the League, which plans the erection of a new civic hall and meeting place for teen ages.

The League also voted to participate in the Joy Fund's toy conditioning program. Members will solicit homes in the Lynnhaven area for worn toys, and will set up a Toy Bin at the J. P. Mills grocery store for the deposit of toys.

Persons unable to take their toys to the Toy Bin are asked to call Beverly Sykes, at 44284, and arrangements will be made to pick up the toys.

Deadline has been set for December 15 for the pick-up of toys in order that workers may have plenty of time for reconditioning them.

Annexation Problems Brought Before Public in Civic League Sponsored Debate

Mail Xmas Cards, Packages at Once Advises Postoffice

Last Minute Rush Should Be Avoided; Volume on Increase

Remember that time last year when you stood at the last minute in a long line in the postoffice and swore by all that was holy you would mail your Christmas packages and cards EARLY this year?

If you have forgotten your promise to yourself, you had better remember it and put it into action.

Assistant Postmaster Roy R. Jackson has issued an urgent appeal to everyone to mail early. If you don't want to disappoint your out-of-state friends and relatives, mail packages and cards during the coming week if you haven't already done it. Cards going long distances, if put off too long, might better go via air mail to assure their reaching their destination.

Mr. Jackson pointed out that since Christmas day falls on Sunday this year, postoffice personnel will have the 26th of December as their holiday, thus putting off the delivery of delayed packages and cards yet another day.

Last year, the local postoffice handled upwards of 900,000 pieces of mail, and it appears that this year it is heavier than ever. Your overburdened postman does a superhuman job of work at this time of year, for both incoming and outgoing mails are loaded.

The local postoffice has found that the load is running well ahead of last year, according to Mr. Jackson. A second mailing window has been opened for receiving packages and for stamp sales.

Christmas Seal Sale Receipts Hit \$1,500 Mark

Mrs. Parks Says TB Work Depends on Success of Seal Sale

Seal sale receipts in Princess Anne County, now entering the third week, so far total \$1,500.00. It was revealed today by Mrs. Rufus Parks, county seal sale chairman.

"On behalf of the Association and all seal sale volunteers, who have given their time and talent to the campaign, I wish to thank those who have been so prompt by their contributions. With this encouragement, we feel that the Christmas Seal Sale will be successful," Mrs. Parks said.

"Early returns mean that the Princess Anne Tuberculosis Association can go forward promptly with its 1950 plans to protect the health of the community," she added, "and we want to make the 1949 Seal Sale the best ever conducted here. Success of the county's seal sale will depend on the final analysis, on its success in each district. And on the success of the county seal sale depends the tuberculosis control and prevention work of the Princess Anne Association during the coming year."

"Many volunteers have told me repeatedly that their work on the seal sale is as much a part of Christmas preparations to them as the campaign. I wish to thank those who have been so prompt by their contributions. With this encouragement, we feel that the Christmas Seal Sale will be successful," Mrs. Parks said.

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Agenda for Council Meeting Tuesday

Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood will recommend in Tuesday's Council Meeting (4 p.m. Town Hall):

1. That annexation proceedings be initiated at once to bring into the Town of Virginia Beach 1.63 square miles lying North to Fort Story and West to Litchfield Bay;
2. That the Mayor appoint a committee to be composed of himself and two council members to collaborate with the Town Attorney, the Town Engineer and the Town Manager to seek an appropriation of \$50,000 annually from the State for erosion control purposes;
3. That one of three or four propositions concerning the construction of jetty be considered and adopted.

American Legion Members 'Investigate' Richardson of FBI

E. C. Richardson, special agent in charge of the Norfolk Bureau of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, came under extremely close scrutiny of some 50 members of Post 113, American Legion, at their meeting Thursday night, December 1. After due consideration of all the evidence, those present found the gentleman under surveillance guilty of a pleasant personality, a contagious wit, and a well prepared speech.

Following the speaker's remarks the regular bi-monthly business meeting of the post was held. Still holding the spotlight is the completion of the new section of the club house. This section will include a ball room, kitchen and other facilities to make a complete and comfortable club for the members' enjoyment. Comrade J. C. Kester, building committee member and contractor on the project, expressed the hope that it would be completed early in the new year.

A "work party" and oyster roast was approved and planned for Sunday, December 11. At 2 p.m. work will commence on clearing the area of brush and rubble, to be climaxed by an oyster roast at 5 p.m. Work clothes will be worn for the occasion.

Before adjourning the group voted \$50.00 as a donation to the Joy Fund from the organization and agreed to put a container in the club room for personal donations.

Driving a car is a privilege, not a right, traffic officials point out. Careless drivers can be deprived of their privileges in the interest of protecting the rights of others.

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Firemen Send Out Urgent Appeal For Used Toys for Joy Fund

Other Groups Also Busy Preparing Toys For Needy Children

Used toys are not coming in unlimited quantities to Kris Kringle's little helpers, the Firemen, who are reconditioning them for the Joy Fund.

Fire Chief E. B. Bayne put out an urgent appeal to residents to end in any kind of broken toys or meager, painting and refurbishing to give to youngsters who would otherwise receive no toys at Christmas time.

The Fire Department will call your toys if you cannot save them to the Fire Station yourself. Give them a ring on the telephone 2051 and a man will pick them up.

Annexation Would Make Beach City Of First Class

Ackiss, for Negative, Says Annexation Unprofitable for All

Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood believes that the town can annex the 1.63 square miles north of Virginia Beach and west to Litchfield Bay without raising the town's real or property taxes.

This was brought out on Wednesday night when Mr. Lockwood joined with R. B. Taylor for the affirmative debated P. W. Ackiss, Commonwealth's Attorney, and Eldridge Whitehurst, Norfolk merchant living in North Virginia Beach, who took the negative side of the question. The debate was sponsored by the South Virginia Beach Civic League. Moderator was Mrs. Margaret Klepper, president of the League.

"Geographically and in an economic sense," Mr. Lockwood said, "the interests of Virginia Beach and the interests of the annexation area are irrevocably bound together."

Arguments put forth by Mr. Lockwood included the fact that annexation would make Virginia Beach a city of the first class.

His plan called for expansion and improvement of the sewage disposal plant and sewerage system in two stages. The first would mean the issuance of \$600,000 of 30-year revenue bonds to double the sewer tap revenues to double the capacity of the present disposal plant and make sewerage accessible to residents of the most heavily populated parts of Virginia Beach; and second issuance of \$450,000 of the same type bonds to extend the sewer lines to Fort Story.

He saw, soon after annexation would be accomplished, the construction of a modern high school with junior and senior departments. School bonds in the amount of \$600,000 would make possible such a high school on the 7½-acre site now owned. Also in the cards would be a water supply system for Virginia Beach, at a rate at least 10 cents cheaper per 1,000 gallons than now under the existing contract with Norfolk.

Mr. Taylor appealed to the pride of the residents in his community, and listed the North Virginia Beach residents as being residents of the larger resort community. "Our resort has a splendid chance of becoming the greatest on the East Coast," he said, "and whether this becomes a reality rests squarely on yours and my shoulders. To accomplish this will mean the wholehearted cooperation of every citizen in this entire area."

The Negative

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THE ANNEXATION PROBLEM

The annexation problem is again in the forefront. This time finds us on the other side of the fence. However, the situation is not quite the same. Instead of the 11-odd square miles of the best revenue producing area of the county (as Norfolk hopes to grab) the Town of Virginia Beach wishes to annex only 1.6 square miles of purely residential area. The area is now generally spoken of as Virginia Beach and a great many of the residents do not realize they are outside the town limits. If one should take the time to check the voters at the polls on election days it would be amazing to note how many "county" residents are actively interested in the affairs of the Town of Virginia Beach.

Consideration should be given not along the lines of what will it cost me—but will annexation help Virginia Beach. You have never been able to get something for nothing. Therefore, if Virginia Beach is to grow it will have to be paid for.

The existing limits of the town are rather confining for a growing community and, from an economic standpoint, expansion is the answer.

Those residents in the proposed area who oppose annexation are primarily people with no civic or financial interest in the town and use our community for a convenience and as long as they can supply their wants here are not interested in its growth. However, persons who have a bit of civic pride and are financially interested in Virginia Beach and truly wish to see the community grow will set aside selfish motives and help bear the cost of a growing community.

LOOKING BACK

TWENTY-ONE YEARS AGO — NOVEMBER 30, 1928

The new \$1,000,000 Oceana High School was formally dedicated with the laying of the cornerstone, according to the Weekly of November 30, 1928. Following the ceremonies, which were under the auspices of the Virginia Beach and Princess Anne lodges, A. F. and A. M., led by the Grand Master W. L. Davis, a field and achievement day was held by the County 4-H'ers. Melvin Gimbert, of Oceana, who was named Grand Champion of the State at the Richmond Fair, and Randolph Gregory, were principal prize winners.

The Oceana Cavaliers brought to a close their football season in a contest with Maury High. They lost 13-8 to the Maury lads.

A full-page advertisement of the

Brown Motor Corp., announced the new Chevrolet Six at \$255.

The Red Cross closed its annual roll call, and put out an urgent call to district workers to send in their reports. The year before, it was said, it took more than two months to get in all of the county returns. Mrs. S. M. Simpson was chairman of the drive.

On increase of approximately 600 per cent was reported in the amount of fish caught during the first week of the 1928 season in the Back Bay region. Not only had the total poundage shown such an amazing gain but the fish taken in were on the average of from three to four pounds heavier than the usual seasonal catch.

New seats were being installed at the Roland Theatre.

Letters to Editor

Rudee Heights
Virginia Beach, Virginia
December 5, 1949

Editor
Virginia Beach News

Dear Sirs:
In regard to the poll of vacationers taken last summer by the Junior Woman's Club of Princess Anne County in which we asked for suggestions which they thought would make the resort more attractive to visitors, we should like to point out that a number of the suggestion cards criticized an unfriendly attitude toward vacationers by Virginia Beach residents.

We feel that the number of complaints of this nature make it imperative that we appeal through your paper for both those people residing here and especially those who are in direct contact with the vacationists to bear this criticism of our visitors in mind.

Needless to say that for such a criticism to come to a town which is not only located in a state well known for its Southern hospitality, but relies almost entirely on its tourist trade for existence, is a complaint that everyone should try to eliminate in the future.

We also should like to point to other vacationists who expressed the belief that there is still much

to be desired in the cleanliness and neatness of the town as a whole. We believe the burden of rectifying this complaint rests not only upon the town government but upon every property owner.

We sincerely hope you will bring these criticisms to the attention of the public for the betterment of Virginia Beach.

Sincerely,
MRS. J. GOODENOW TYLER,
President, Junior Woman's Club of Princess Anne County

Charles Portlock Dies Sunday

Charles (Uncle Charlie) Portlock died at 9 a.m. Sunday after a brief illness. He was in his 34th year.

Mr. Portlock had made his home with P. F. Murray at Hilltop House since his retirement 14 years ago from the Norfolk and Western, with whom he had been for nearly 60 years.

He is survived by Paul F. Murray, Jr., and Arthur E. Murray, his nephews.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Sparks Melton from the Holloman-Brown Funeral Home. Interment was in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Behind the Scenes in American Business

New York—"Famine in the midst of plenty"—that's how the geologists describe the present situation in the nation's most vital mineral resources: water. There's no real over-all shortage, say the experts—only about 30 per cent of the average water fall a year is currently being used up—but the East gets most of it, at the expense of the arid West. Because of this faulty distribution, industries in some regions are in danger of extinction unless a solution is found. The condition is far more serious than most people realize. Unless new sources can be tapped, says the Department of the Interior, it will mean a severe blow to the whole economy. The big need right now: a comprehensive national plan for the scientific development of present water resources.

STOCKS FOR SALE—Back in 1930, following the fortune-shattering stock market crash of the preceding year, a common complaint among many business men ran to the effect that the little man should keep his pennies in his pocket and out of the market. Today the shoe is on the other foot.

With high taxes draining the funds that once were invested by high salaried people, the little fellow's role in investments becomes more important. A year ago, in fact, the New York Stock Exchange launched an all-out campaign especially designed to "sell" the small investor on the advantages of putting his surplus cash in good-yield stocks and bonds. The latest lure was proposed by Robert E. Wilson, chairman of Standard Oil Company of Indiana. He "wondered if there might not be room for mail-order selling of investment trusts of high standing at relatively low costs."

"There is something wrong," Wilson pointed out, "when \$25 million of a stock like Tucker can be sold when stocks with 50-year dividend records lie neglected on the bargain counter."

KNEE-ACTION FOR TRAINS—America's train-makers have usually been a step or two behind the automobile designer in the field of passenger comfort. But they're beginning to catch up. Air conditioning, wide-view windows and reclining seats, and other in-car improvements are already here. Today engineers are turning to the bottom of the car with a view to reducing vibration and making train trucks ride smoother.

Latest advance is a new anti-friction journal bearing made by SKF Industries, Inc., which is described as "knee action on a horizontal plane" and resembles "floating power" on an automobile. Developed as the result of extensive experiments by the Union Pacific Railroad, SKF's new journal bearings give axles more freedom by permitting them to "float" laterally within the outer ring of a rigidly-held roller bearing within the journal box. The trick not only gives a smoother ride but is also a maintenance saver—because the lubrication system is more efficient and they therefore require frequent inspection.

THINGS TO COME—Now you can have an electric dishwasher without paying a plumber \$50 to hook it up—a low cost portable

GAINS MADE IN

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on, is not satisfactory for use in a vaccine because it may produce degenerative changes in the brains of those individuals infected with the vaccine.

If a polio vaccine is achieved, there will be a tremendous demand for it, the March of Dimes campaign director declared, and a large supply of virus with which to prepare sufficient vaccine must be readily available. Furthermore, she added, the vaccine must be completely safe. Therefore, polio virus free from nerve tissue must be obtainable. She pointed out that Dr. Enders' accomplishment now makes this possible.

P. A. CIVIC COUNCIL TO MEET WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

The regular monthly meeting of the Princess Anne Civic League will be held Wednesday, December 14 at 8 p.m. with the Ocean Park Civic League. All member organizations are urged to attend. Judge Floyd E. Kellam will be the guest speaker.

were down 14 per cent from the same four-week period in 1948. Emulating coffee, cocoa costs are spurring up fast. Increased consumption and poor crop conditions have pushed price of basic-grade cocoa beans up 22 per cent in the last month.

Virginia Bankers Sponsor Contest For HS Students

"Opportunities for Young People on Virginia Farms," is the subject of a speaking contest for high school students, being sponsored by the Virginia Bankers Association in cooperation with V. F. I. and the State Department of Education.

School contests, carrying prizes up to \$25, will be held not later than February 10. Deadline for county contests, with prizes up to \$75, is February 17, and for district contests, February 24. First, second, and third prizes of \$75, \$50, and \$25 will be awarded district winners. State finals, with \$250, \$150 and \$100 prizes, will be held March 6 at Natural Bridge. All white high school students in grades 9-12 are eligible to enter.

Last year the Association sponsored a similar contest on the subject, "Using Virginia's Agricultural Resources to the Best Advantage." Over 1,200 students from 56 counties and three cities participated, and Virginia's bankers awarded prizes of over \$5,000.

Men's Bible Class

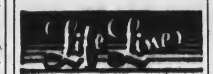
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ANNEXATION

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Mr. Achim outlined for the negative the legal aspects of annexation, and declared that history has proved that annexation is unprofitable to all concerned. The town would be unable to carry out its proposed program, Mr. Achim declared, without raising taxes. "The council sees annexation as a means for increasing the legal debt limit so that more bonds may be issued," he said. "They probably realize that taxes will also have to be raised, but the issuance of bonds will provide immediate funds and they avoid contemplation of future tax increases."

Mr. Whitehurst, following along the argument that taxation would be increased, said that, no one doubts that should annexation become a reality taxes in the annexed area would be raised to the level of those now prevailing in the Town of Virginia Beach just as soon as it could legally be done. "It is common knowledge," he said, "that taxes in the town are many times higher than in the adjacent county areas, on the basis of actual cash outlay." Moreover, he declared, real estate assessments are out of line as between the county and town areas, and he pointed to residential sites in the county which are assessed at \$300 which compare favorably in desirability with sites in the town limits on which the assessment is \$1,100.



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Home Demonstration Club News

Mrs. C. E. Myers, president of the Virginia Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs, and Miss Frances Payne, Roanoke County, president of District No. 3, have been appointed delegates to the International Meeting of the Associated Country Women of the World which will be held in Copenhagen, Denmark, September 2-23, 1950.

This appointment was made by the Executive Board of the Virginia Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs which met in Richmond recently. The meeting was attended by Mrs. D. L. Brinkley, Norfolk County, president of

District No. 4; Mrs. E. W. Calk, Princess Anne County, Family Relations chairman; and Mrs. A. R. Butler, Jr., Anneand County, Art in Daily Living chairman, as well as other state officers, district presidents, federation goal chairman and special committees.

This was an organization meeting for the next biennium. Activities, including the goals library, home and community beautification, health, citizenship, housing

family relations, art in daily living, youth and community recreation and public relations, were presented and accepted.

Initial plans were made for the eight district meetings which will be held during the first week in May, which has been designated as "National Home Demonstration Week."

It was decided that the Citizenship Camp, which is being planned for next summer at the Jamestown 4-H Camp, will be open to adults from neighboring states as well as Virginia.

The meeting was concluded by the dedication of a car load of food which has been contributed by the State Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs for the Virginia Christian Rural Overseas Program. Mrs. Myers presented the check to the Rev. A. B. Berry, Jr., State CROP director. This car, symbolic of all the food which will be supplied through the program this year in Virginia, represents the desire on the part of the Home Demonstration Club members throughout the State to share with those less fortunate in other countries.

"ART IN LIVING" LEADS FEDERATION GOALS

"Art in daily living" was chosen by more counties in their home demonstration programs this year than any other goal.

Miss Maude E. Wallace, assistant director of the Extension Service at V. P. I., said 24 counties have chosen that goal for 1950.

Other goals and the number of counties participating are: health, 15 counties; home and community beautification, 11 counties; rural youth, 12 counties; citizenship, 11 counties; housing, 6 counties; family relationships, 4 counties; and library, 1.

Goal chairmen, appointed for two-year terms by Mrs. C. E. Myers, of Studley, Federation president, are:

Health: Mrs. T. A. Harris, of Hampton; citizenship: Mrs. Maccon Fears, Ontario; housing: Mrs. A. B. Engelman, Frederick Hall; family relations: Mrs. Edwin W. Calk, Lynnhaven; library: Mrs.

William R. Fitzpatrick, Lexington; home and community beautification: Mrs. J. B. Gwin, Remington; art in daily living: Mrs. A. R. Butler, Jr., Carverville; and rural youth and community recreation: Mrs. J. V. Howell, New Glasgow.

Also announced was the appointment of Mrs. Guy C. Roop, Snowville, as student loan fund chairman; Mrs. N. C. Bailey, Orange, public relations chairman; Miss Sylvia Blum, Rt. 14, Richmond, publicity chairman; Mrs. L. T. St. Clair, Salem, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Ben Walles, Sweet Briar, historian.

Homemakers' Items

An X for the patient! That's an idea advanced by V. P. I. Extension home economists, who say you can easily keep an ill person's dishes separate from other dishes by marking each with fingernail polish. A small mark, a dot, or an X will do the trick. Make the mark in some inconspicuous place such as the bottom of a plate or cup. Then it'll be easy to tell at a glance, when you wash dishes, which ones you want to keep separate and sterilize.

If your home has a dark corner—hang a mirror in it, to reflect light. You'll find, too, that by hanging a mirror between twin beds, you'll be able to double the light from a table lamp. And a mirror in the entrance hall will give a spacious look.

Bright red paint can be put to many useful purposes around the house, as an aid to the safety and convenience of the family.

For example, the containers of such poisonous materials as lye preparations for cleaning drains, may well have a coat of red as a distinguishing mark.

The pall of sand kept on hand for fire control will be easier to find if painted red—as will the outdoor faucets to which a hose must be connected in a hurry.

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Fruit cake makes any occasion festive. And A&P's luscious JANE PARKER FRUIT CAKE is the one-and-only for my family. Here's why: Over 3% of every cake is fruit and nuts! It's studded with pecans... glazed cherries... golden pineapple plump raisins and tangy tidbits of citrus fruit. One taste and you'll see why it's America's most popular fruit cake.

HOLIDAY HOT STUFF

Here's a hot tip for a cold weather throat-quencher: Combine 1/2 cup sugar, 2 cups water, 2 sticks cinnamon, 5 whole cloves, bring to boil and simmer 10 mins. Add 1 quart of A&P's rich, tangy A&P GRAPE JUICE, and 1/2 cup lemon juice. Bring to boil; strain; add 1 lemon, thinly sliced—and serve hot in small cups. Serves about 10.

PUMPKIN PIE PERFECTION

Now that it's Pumpkin Pie time again, I've made doubly sure I have ANN PAGE GROUND SPICES for PUMPKIN PIE on hand... prepared especially for Pumpkin Pie by A&P. This spice mix contains cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg, allspice and sweet orange peel in just the right proportions to give you the finest tasting Pumpkin Pie you ever served!

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SOCIAL NEWS

MRS. S. HARDY COLE, Local Reporter
TELEPHONE 1946-W

PARTIES -- ANNOUNCEMENTS -- PERSONALS

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Ben Ward Blee, whose marriage took place last month, sailed Monday from New York for London, England, where Lieut. Comdr. Blee will be stationed for duty. Mrs. Blee is the former Miss Martha Woodhouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Woodhouse.

Miss Mary Forsberg has returned to Richmond after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Forsberg at their home on 79th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, whose marriage took place recently, have returned to their home in Hartford, Conn., after spending a few days at the Princess Anne Club.

Miss Elizabeth Bain will leave today for Chapel Hill, N. C., where she will attend the dinner and the presentation ceremonies when Dr. William M. Day will be made a Chevalier of the Legion of Honor by the French Consul General from Washington, D. C. Miss Bain will be the guest of Mrs. Charles B. Robson while in Chapel Hill.

Mrs. Henry C. Little has returned to her home in Darien, Conn., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Little on 53rd Street, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tyler on Avenue C.

Mrs. A. C. Wood has returned to her home on Poconantas Drive after visiting relatives in Charlotte, N. C.

Miss Alice Wade to Marry Ralph Tracy Mills, Jr., this Afternoon

The marriage of Miss Alice Wade, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wade, to Ralph Tracy Mills, Jr., of Asheville, N. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mills, of Statesville, N. C., will take place this afternoon at four o'clock at the Virginia Beach Methodist Church, with the Rev. Frank Van Dyck performing the ceremony. The bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, will wear a wedding gown of white satin and will carry a bridal bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Constance Cooke will be maid of honor. She will wear a gown of emerald green and will carry rust chrysanthemums. The maids of honor will be Mrs. Jack Hoots, Miss Dorothy Spence and Miss Georgia Mills, sister of the groom. They will wear gowns similar to the maid of honor and will carry yellow chrysanthemums. Ernest Crowder, of Richmond, will be best man for Mr. Mills, and the groomsmen will be Jack Hoots, Fred Ridge and Morris Wade, brother of the bride.

Following the ceremony a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents on Crystal Lake Drive, after which Mr. and Mrs. Mills will leave for a southern wedding trip. Mrs. Mills will travel in a winter green suit with brown accessories.

Ned Langhorne has returned to Richmond after spending last week-end at his home in Cavalier Park.

Mrs. George Franklin Dardon is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Everett, in Suffolk, Va.

Mrs. Gene Mullins has returned to her home on Avenue C after spending a month with relatives in Liverpool, England.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cannon returned Monday to Baltimore, Md., after spending some time with Mr. Cannon's sister, Mrs. Emmett Caldwell, at her home on 69th Street.

Mrs. H. R. Leonard has left to spend the Christmas holidays with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valentine, at their home in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Robert F. Reid has returned to her home in Cleveland, Ohio, after visiting Mrs. Charles Field, III, on Raleigh Drive.

Miss Mildred Bell will arrive next week from Washington, D. C., to visit her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James N. Bell, Jr., at their home in Cavalier Park.

Mrs. Peggy Casparis has returned to her home on Avenue C after spending some time in Richmond.

Franklin Woodhouse, who has been spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Woodhouse, in Linkhorn Park, left Tuesday to spend a week in New Orleans, La.

Mrs. Louis Windhols will leave today to spend the Christmas holidays with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Innes Warren, in Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Albert Crosby, Jr., and young son will leave today for California from where they will sail for Korea to join Lieut. Crosby.

Mrs. Marie Buckmaster, a student at Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Sparks, on 52nd Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Phelan were the guests for the Thanksgiving holidays of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Phelan, Jr., in Columbia, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Syer and son, John, have returned to their home on 52nd Street after spending some time in Princeton, N. J., and New York City.

T. Ashby Watts, of Lynchburg, Va., was the recent guest of Robert Shelly, on 25th Street.

Mrs. Blair Kern has returned to her home in Danville, Virginia, after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, Jr., on 62nd Street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Boshier, of Bird Neck Point, are spending a few days in Washington, D. C. While there Mr. Boshier will address the Life Underwriters Association.

Miss Marilyn Mundy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stanley Mundy, of Holly Road and Avenue B, will take the part of a maid-in-waiting in the "Christmas Revels" at Emma Willard School, Troy, N. Y. "Revels" is the traditional Christmas pageant which has been given at the school for 34 years to mark the beginning of the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Oliver have returned from their wedding trip to the "Homestead," Hot Springs, Va., and are residing at their home on Raleigh Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Newcomb, of Solomons, Md., are visiting Comdr. and Mrs. Julian B. Timberlake, Jr., at their home on 76th Street.

Dr. and Mrs. John F. Woodward, who have been visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Van Patten, in Linkhorn Park, have left to spend the winter with their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. John F. Woodward, Jr., at their home in Beaumont, Texas.

Mrs. Fontaine Watson, of Gordonsville, Va., who is spending the winter at Carolan Farm, had as her guest recently her daughter, Mrs. John de France, of the University of Virginia, Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce A. Parlette have left for a motor trip to Arizona and California and will spend Christmas with Mr. Parlette's brother, Capt. Clyde A. Parlette, in San Carlos, California.

Lieut. and Mrs. Lawrence Burton Stephens will arrive next week from Newport, R. I. to visit Mrs. Stephens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cole, on 53rd Street.

Miss Ann Leighton Simmons will arrive next week from Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, Fredericksburg, to spend Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maclin Simmons, at their home on 53rd Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Moore, of Richmond, were the guests last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bundy at their home on 81st Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Banks, whose marriage took place recently in Richmond, are now residing in the Douglas cottage on 78th Street. Dr. Banks is stationed at Oceana Air Field.

Miss Ann Elizabeth Norfleet has returned to her home on 86th Street after attending dances at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va.

Miss Shirley Flowers, of Raleigh, N. C., arrived yesterday to visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wade, on Crystal Lake Drive, and attend the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wade's daughter, Miss Alice Wade, and Ralph Tracy Mills, which will take place this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fantone and daughters, Misses Margaret and Helen Ann, will move next week to their new home on Raleigh Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jones, Dr. and Mrs. Finley Gayle, Mrs. Donald Faulkner and Dr. and Mrs. Randolph Wellford have returned to Richmond after spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Throckmorton, on 75th Street.

Miss Ann May will arrive next week from the Madeira School, Fairfax County, Va., to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton May, in Bay Colony.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, of Gloucester, Va., will be the guests this week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis at their home on 52nd Street, and will attend the Virginia Beach Assembly this evening at the Cavalier Hotel.

Miss Georgia Mills, of Statesville, N. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wade.

Lieut. and Mrs. C. W. Moses and young son, Michael Montgomery, will arrive next week from the University of Mississippi to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Moses' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cole, at their home on 53rd Street.

Miss Barbara Ann Miller to Marry Thomas Brown Trant January 15

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis Miller, of Chattanooga, Tenn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Barbara Ann Miller, to Thomas Brown Trant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Frank Trant, of London Bridge. Miss Miller attended the University of Chattanooga. Mr. Trant is a graduate of Woodberry Forest School and attended the University of Virginia. He served in the U. S. Army as a Lieutenant for three years during World War II. The wedding will take place on January 15 in Chattanooga.

Floyd Dormire, Jr., will arrive next week from Choate School, Wallingford, Conn., to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Dormire, at their home on 52nd Street.

Mrs. P. L. Davis, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting Mrs. Arthur Homer at her home in Cavalier Shores.

LATE PERSONAL
Mrs. Anna C. Benkert, of the Adelphi Cottage, has returned to her home after spending six weeks in Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Pa.

Santa Claus to Get Help of Junior Women with Mail

The following letter was received this week at the News office. It is of special interest to youngsters of Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County.

Dear Children:

Christmas is just around the corner and I'm a busy old Santa Claus. The Junior Women's Club of your town and county has offered to help me with my mail this year. They are going to put a Special Mail Box in the vestibule of your local Post Office for my letters only. Write your letters early and be sure to put your name and address on them. The Junior Women will collect them and send them to me. I have my radio station hooked up with Station WTAR in Norfolk again this year so if you'll listen each evening at 7 o'clock you may hear your letter read over the air. Now remember, boys and girls, write early and I'll send you a post card to let you know that I have received your letters. **SEE YOU CHRISTMAS!**

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Virginia Beach Assembly to Hold First Dance of Season Tonight

The Virginia Beach Assembly will hold its first dance of the season this evening in the ballroom of the Cavalier Hotel. The chaperones will be Mrs. William P. Dickson, Jr., Mrs. David Pender, Mrs. Charles Blinguff and Mrs. Peyton May. The members and their guests will number about 175.

PARTIES FOR BRIDE-ELECT

Mrs. Jack Hoots and Miss Dorothy Spence entertained Monday of last week at a shower in honor of Miss Alice Wade, whose marriage to Ralph Tracy Mills will take place this afternoon. Their guests numbered about twenty-five.

Miss Constance Cook entertained Thursday of last week at her home on 32nd Street at a buffet supper in honor of Miss Wade. Her guests numbered twelve.

Ladies Auxiliary of Galilee to Sponsor Antique Show

An antique show, featuring exhibits by leading dealers throughout the state as well as privately owned possessions lent for the occasion, will be sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of Galilee Episcopal Church, it was announced Tuesday at the organization's December meeting. The event will be held April 12 through 14 in the Parish House of the church, 18th Street and Atlantic Avenue.

The general chairman for the show are Mrs. R. B. Taylor, Miss Chess Hardbarger and Mrs. J. D. W. Cassada, who have appointed various committees to serve under them.

Underprivileged Children to be Guests at Party

A special Christmas party for the underprivileged children of Princess Anne County will be the highlight of the regular meeting of the Junior Woman's Club on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Community House, Mrs. J. W. Wolcott, Jr., chairman of the Welfare Department will have charge of the party.

Santa Claus will be there with gifts and candy. Movies will be shown under the direction of Mrs. J. A. Clark, drama chairman. Mrs. W. M. Meredith, Jr., will have charge of the music.

A committee has been busy for some time contacting families in the county and approximately 50 children will be escorted to the party by the Junior women.

All club members are urged to bring clothing, in good condition, to this meeting for the annual welfare distribution.

Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Walker to Judge Arrangements

Mrs. J. Davis Reed, Jr., and Mrs. M. Bagley Walker of the Princess Anne Garden Club will be judges for arrangements at the Christmas meeting of the Linkhorn Garden Club to be held on Monday, December 12, at 3:00 p.m. Mrs. James U. Goode will preside.

Members are asked to bring for judging, Christmas wreaths or sprays, a Christmas centerpiece or decorated candles.

Mrs. W. B. Meredith, program chairman, is requesting that every member of the club be present at this meeting and bring a gift for the basket being prepared for the needy.

Hostesses for the tea which will follow the business meeting will be Mrs. Guy W. Capps and Mrs. Nita McMenamin.

Xmas Decorations To be Feature at Club Meeting

The Cavalier Garden Club of Virginia Beach will meet Monday, December 12, at 2:30 p.m. at the Parish House of Galilee Episcopal Church. The meeting will feature exhibitions of Christmas mantels, doorways and tables.

Churches

The NEWS will be glad to make additions and corrections to this list from time to time. All items of church importance will be published. A endeavor to keep the list up to date as a permanent directory.

VIRGINIA BEACH CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

17th Street at Arctic Avenue
Dr. Ira D. S. Knight, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, K. L. J.ard, Superintendent.
9:45 a.m.—Fidelis Bible Class for Women at Community House.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:00 p.m.—Baptist Training Union, Miss Joyce Pierce, director.
8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.
Prayer Meeting each Wednesday at 8:00 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

35th Street and Pacific Avenue
The Rev. Robert P. Davis, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Church School, Chas. H. Hitchings, Superintendent.
9:45 a.m.—Adult Bible Classes.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:15 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Choir Rehearsal.

Galilee Episcopal Church, the Rev. Edmund Berkeley, rector.

Services on Sunday: 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion; 11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. First Sunday in each month, Holy Communion and Sermon.

Service of Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m. on Saints' Days and Holy Days.

Mrs. Ellosely Hudgins, of Norfolk, will read the "Legend of the Holly."

Hostesses for the occasion are Mrs. Fred Haycox, Miss William Thompson, Mrs. Patrick Allen, Miss Chesley Hardbarger, and Mrs. William Darden. Mrs. J. E. Addent-vok, president of the club, will preside.

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.—Junior-Senior Department; 11:00 a.m.—Nursery-Primary Department in the New Parish House.

Young People's Fellowship: 6:00 p.m.—Sunday, supper meeting, in New Parish House.

The Vestry—2nd Wednesday in each month, 8:00 p.m.

Galilee Men's Club—1st Wednesday in each month, 7:00 p.m., supper meeting, in New Parish House.

Acolytes' Guild—1st Saturday in each month, 10:00 a.m.

Woman's Auxiliary—1st Tuesday in each month, 11:00 a.m., in New Parish House.

Bible Study Circle of Auxiliary—1st and 3rd Mondays in each month, 8 p.m., in New Parish House.

*Altar Guild meetings will be announced.

METHODIST CHURCH

18th Street near Pacific Avenue
Rev. Frank H. Van Dyck, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Church School, G. C. Mason, superintendent. Classes and Sermon.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship for all ages.

6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship Meeting.

8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship and Sermon. Come and share in the Hymn Singing.

ST. MARY'S STAR OF THE SEA CATHOLIC CHURCH

14th Street and Arctic Circle
The Rev. Philip P. Brennan, Pastor
Sunday Masses—8:15, 10:15, and 11:15 a.m.

Rosary—7:40 a.m.

Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.

Week-day Masses—8:00 a.m.

Novena—7:30 p.m., Mondays.

CHURCHES IN THE COUNTY

BAPTIST

Kempville Baptist Church, Kempville, Va., the Rev. A. B. Blount, pastor.

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, H. A. Culpeper, superintendent.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

7:00 p.m.—Young People's Meeting.

8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.

Oak Grove Baptist Church, Creeds, Virginia, Rev. W. A. Richardson, Pastor.

Sunday: 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Curtis Ansell, superintendent.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 8:00 p.m.—Mid-Week Prayer Service.

Thursday: 8:00 p.m.—Choir Practice.

London Bridge Baptist Church, London Bridge, Virginia, the Rev. J. F. Stone, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

EPISCOPAL

Eastern Shore Chapel, Oceana, Virginia, Charles Field, III, officiating.

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. Holy Communion fourth Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

This is the oldest original church building in Princess Anne County—built in 1754.

Old Donation Episcopal Church, Witthuck Road, Lynnhaven, Va.

The Rev. A. Webster Horstman, rector. First Church prior to 1840; second church 1894; present church 1732.

9:00 a.m.—Church School and Bible Class.

10:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Holy Communion and Sermon first Sunday each month at 10:00 a.m.

Kemmanuel Episcopal Church, Kempville, Va., built 1843. The Rev. A. Webster Horstman, rector.

10:00 a.m.—Church School and Bible Class.

11:15 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.

Holy Communion and Sermon first Sunday each month at 11:15 a.m.

METHODIST

Oceana Methodist Church, the Rev. I. L. Llewellyn, minister.

9:45 a.m.—Church School, R. P. Wright, general superintendent.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

7:00 p.m.—Intermediate-Senior Fellowship.

Each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Church Night, with meetings as follows: 1st Wednesday—Board of Education; 2nd Wednesday—Board of Missions, Quarterly; 3rd Wednesday—Official Board; 4th Wednesday—Jr. Official Board; 5th Wednesday—Pastor's Cabinet.

Each Thursday, 8 p.m.—Church Choir Rehearsal.

Each Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop.

Each 2nd Wednesday, 2:30 p.m.—W.S.C.S.

Each 1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Mothers' Club.

Each last Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Cub Scout Pack.

Bethel, South Princess Anne Charge, the Rev. J. W. Reynolds, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Church School, A. W. Parker, superintendent.

11:00 a.m.—Worship Service, first and third Sundays.

Beach Grove, South Princess Anne Charge, the Rev. J. W. Reynolds, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Church School, Ro-

land West, superintendent.

11:00 a.m.—(Second and fourth Sundays) Worship Service.

Knox Island Baptist Church, the Rev. W. A. Richardson, pastor.

2:00 p.m.—Church School, Herman Jones, superintendent.

3:00 p.m.—(first and third Sundays) Worship Service.

2nd & 4th Sundays: 8:30 p.m.—Prayer.

Thursday: 8:00 p.m.—Prayer.

Nimmo Methodist Church, the Rev. N. F. Hunt, pastor.

10:30 a.m.—Sundays School, Frank Kellam, superintendent.

11:30 a.m.—(first and third Sundays) Worship Service.

Salem Methodist Church, the Rev. N. F. Hunt, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, William L. Spence, superintendent.

Charity Methodist Church, Back Bay, Virginia, the Rev. Jacob W. Mast, pastor.

Sunday Services: 10:00 a.m.—Church School—Lloyd Murden, Superintendent.

11:00 a.m.—Church Worship.

7:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.

PRESBYTERIAN

Calvary Presbyterian Church, Glenbrook, the Rev. J. Gordon Riggs, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.

DISCIPLE

Kala Church of Christ, Back Bay, Virginia, the Rev. Russell T. Smith, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11:00 a.m.—Lord's Supper.

11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship.

East Ocean View Presbyterian Church, the Rev. J. Gordon Riggs, pastor.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School, E. Allmond, superintendent.

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.

7:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship.

7:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

Lynnhaven Presbyterian Church, the Rev. D. Burke Kerr, pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Church School, and classes for all ages.

3:00 p.m.—Worship Services.

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Antiques and Decorations Forum At Williamsburg January 23

Important discussions of antique furniture, glass, pottery and porcelain, 18th century architecture and American paintings and prints will be presented by a group of over twenty leading authorities in the antiques field during the second Antiques and Decorations Forum which begins on January 23, in Williamsburg.

The speakers for the unique event are drawn from the principal museums and universities of the country, the staffs of Colonial Williamsburg and "The Magazine Antiques," co-sponsors of the Forum, and from the private collectors and writers in the field. Their lectures and illustrated talks will be supplemented with inspections of the valuable collections and historic buildings of Williamsburg which will serve as the laboratory for the Forum sessions.

The 1950 Forum, repeating in general pattern the popular event of last year, is being held in three similar sessions this year in order that a larger number of persons may be accommodated. The three five-day sessions, identical in general scope and content, will begin on January 23, January 30 and February 6.

Several different phases of period decorations and furnishings have been added to the program this year. Paintings and prints will be presented by such experts as Louisa Dresser, Curator of the Worcester Art Museum; Oliver Larkin, professor and chairman of the art department of Smith College; John Marshall Phillips, director of the Yale University Gallery of Fine Arts; Harry Shaw Newman, New York, specialist in American prints and paintings; and Miss Helen Comstock, gallery editor of "The Magazine Antiques." Eighteenth century architecture will be discussed by Henry Chandler Forman, head of the department of art of Agnes Scott College; George Harold Edgell, director of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts; G. Edwin Brumbaugh, Owynedd Valley, Pa., F.A.I.A., authority on early American architecture and restoration; and many others.

Collard Breeding At Truck Station Gives New Strain

Collard breeding at the Virginia Truck Experiment Station in Norfolk has resulted in a well-colored, hardy variety known as Vates. M. M. Parker, assistant director of the Station, says the Vates collard is a non-heading type that is low-growing and broad. The leaves are thick-textured with a high ratio of blade to stalk—greatly reducing waste when they are prepared for cooking.

He reports that there has so far been little injury to even the largest plants when wintered over in the field.

The Station now has about 20 different selections of the Vates strains, and most of them show "considerable improvement" in type over the older varieties. The Station plans to multiply several of them for distribution next year.

TIDE CALENDAR FOR VIRGINIA BEACH AND CAPE HENRY

(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau, Cape Henry)

Date	High	Low
Dec. 9 a.m.	10:26	3:57
Dec. 9 p.m.	10:47	4:54
Dec. 10 a.m.	11:12	4:45
Dec. 10 p.m.	11:36	5:33
Dec. 11 a.m.	12:03	5:41
Dec. 11 p.m.	12:36	6:28
Dec. 12 a.m.	1:01	7:22
Dec. 12 p.m.	1:36	7:54
Dec. 13 a.m.	2:03	8:21
Dec. 13 p.m.	2:41	9:04
Dec. 14 a.m.	3:05	9:20
Dec. 14 p.m.	3:46	10:11
Dec. 15 a.m.	4:06	10:17

Days of Week	Sun Rises	Sun Sets
Friday	7:05	4:47
Saturday	7:06	4:47
Sunday	7:07	4:47
Monday	7:08	4:48
Tuesday	7:09	4:48
Wednesday	7:09	4:48
Thursday	7:10	4:48

Four County High Schools Organize Nine KVG Crews

New Organization Replaces War-Time Forest Fire Fighters

"Keep Virginia Green" crews have been organized in the James Barry-Robinson, Creeds, Princess Anne Training and Kempsville high schools, according to F. R. Reader, chief forest warden of Princess Anne County. In these four schools 184 students, constituting nine crews, have made application to become KVG crew members.

Organization of crews for fighting forest fires was started in high schools during the war due to the manpower shortage. The crews were known as the Forest Fire Fighters Service and approved by the Office of Civilian Defense. These crews proved so successful that since the war the Virginia Forest Service has changed their name to "Keep Virginia Green" crews and continued their organization.

Instead of being organized strictly for fighting forest fires, the crews are now trained in good forestry practices as well as in forest fire prevention and suppression. In training, crew members are given talks on forest fire prevention, then taken into the woods and trained in actual fire line construction by having them use the proper tools and construct a fire line themselves. They are then given more talks and a demonstration is put on showing

Farm Machinery Repair Class at Creeds High School

The agriculture shop of Creeds High School is open every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock for the farmers of the county or anyone interested in farm machinery repair.

god forest practices. In this training, they are taught how to determine the height and age of any tree, whether or not a tree is mature; when a tree should be harvested, and what trees should be cut and which should be left standing.

KVG crews have rendered very valuable help to the Virginia Forest Service in forest fire prevention, suppression and towards conservation of our forest resources. School principals and agricultural teachers have given splendid cooperation in organizing the crews, said Forest Warden Reader. All KVG crew organization has been completed in Princess Anne County.

County Farmers Asked to Cooperate In Livestock Count

The Department of Agriculture is starting its December livestock round-up in Princess Anne County about December 1 when Rural Mail Carriers will distribute cards to a selection of farmers, about one in 10 in the county, who will be asked to list the number of livestock owned on them.

This information is used by the Department of Agriculture in estimating the number of livestock on farms, number of chickens, the fall pig crop and indications for the spring pig crop. The Rural Mail Carriers have been distributing these cards for about 20 years and as a result of the excellent information which farmers have given, the department has been able to accurately show trends in livestock numbers and in production of livestock products.

H. W. Olin, county agent, urges each farmer who receives one of these cards to fill it out and re-

turn to his Mail Carrier. Accurate information in regard to livestock numbers is essential to farmers in making plans for producing and marketing their livestock.

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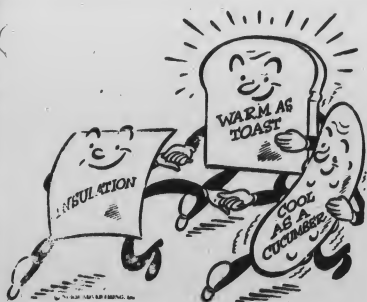
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Puppet Show to be Feature at Little Theatre Party

"Peter and the Wolf," a puppet show, will be presented by Mrs. Carey Brennan at a Christmas Party to be given in the Workshop of the Little Theatre at the rear of the Community House on Saturday, December 17.

The entertainment is absolutely free, and lasts about three-quarters of an hour. There will be two performances, one at 2:30 p. m., the other at 4 p. m.

Mrs. Brennan made the puppets herself, and said that it requires

NEED NICK GARDEN CLUB TO MEET DECEMBER 14

The Christmas meeting of the Bird Neck Garden Club will be held December 14 at 10:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Griffin A. Deal.

George Bonney will be the guest speaker and will show color films.

four persons to manipulate these delightful little performers.

Santa Claus will also be at the Christmas party, and all children in the community are invited. Grown-ups, who love puppets as much as children, are also invited.



BIG BABY SITTER—Willard Washburn, on the staff of the Junior Chamber of Commerce's Baby Sitter Project, prepares the little one a drink of water, following the manual as to feeding for the proper temperature. Jaycee Washburn had a busy evening with three charges on the night of the P. T. A. card party, when the club offered its services so that both parents could attend the function. (Simmons Photo)

Roast Pork for Christmas Dinner Dates Back to King Henry VIII

The custom of eating roast pork at Christmas dinner was first established by King Henry VIII of gustatorial fame. In his time and for many generations afterward, the bringing of a boar's head to the Christmas festive table was a matter of great state and ceremony. Only the most honored member of the court was appointed to bring in the boar's head, and the head itself was dressed with a garland of rosemary and laurel, and held a lemon in its mouth. The lemon, at that time was a symbol of plenty.

The eating of roast pork for Christmas dinner today is a direct descendant of the feasts of ancient kings and courtiers, and what good supplies of pork there are in the market these holidays to make the roast pork for Christmas custom as budget-pleasing as it is delicious. There is much festivity about a luscious loin of pork, crispy outside, thoroughly cooked within to savory tenderness.

London Bridge Ladies To Present Play at Church Sunday

The Junior Business Woman's Circle of the London Bridge Baptist Church will present a play, "The Lord's Day and Grandmother Atkinson," on Sunday, December 11, at 8 p. m. at the church.

The proceeds of a free will offering will go to the Little Moon Offering, for foreign missions. Little Moon was the first Baptist missionary to go to China and the offering has been named in her honor.

Miss Jackie Stone will have the leading role in the play. Others in the cast will be: Miss Dorothy Hodgerson, Miss Alice Shipp, Mrs. F. T. Deary, Jr., Mrs. Cecil Flora, Mrs. William Flora, Mrs. F. G. Trimmer, Miss Helen Stone, Miss Isabel White, and Miss Helen Owens.

Miss Helen Fimple will be the director.

Cooke PTA Holds Business Session, Christmas Tea

The Parent-Teacher Association of Willoughby T. Cooke School met on Monday for their annual Christmas tea. Immediately before the meeting a short business session was held.

Mrs. Leo Bailey, president, reported that the request to include the school in the Government's hot lunches program had been sent in, and it is expected that the project will get under way soon after the first of the year.

Proceeds of the recent benefit card party were reported to be \$114.75. Two new bicycle racks have been purchased and installed, and the group will purchase two more, because of the need for them, from money from the treasury.

The next meeting will be held on January 9, it was announced. The meeting date normally is the first Monday of the month.

Red Cross Chapter Plans Ward Parties At Naval Hospital

Christmas activities of the Princess Anne County chapter of the American Red Cross, as reported by Mrs. Arthur Winder, include ward parties at the Portsmouth Naval Hospital where 1,200 men will spend Christmas. The parties will be given at various times during the week before Christmas so that every man will be reached.

Individuals or groups wishing to have part in the parties by contributing candles, nuts, or fruit are asked to get in touch with the local chapter headquarters of the Red Cross, who will see that the gifts are delivered to the hospital in the name of the donor.

Volunteers are needed to help wrap packages for the hospital party. Anyone who will help is asked to call Red Cross Headquarters, 938 and ask Miss Pearl Duty, executive secretary, for details.



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Legion Auxiliary Plans Christmas Cheer for Needy

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 113, Princess Anne County, are asked to bring canned goods and clothing to the meeting which will be held on Monday, December 12, at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Val Morgan, president, 304 22nd Street, Virginia Beach.

The contributions of the members will be used to fill Christmas baskets to be distributed by the unit to the needy in the community. Mrs. B. C. Davis, rehabilitation chairman, and Mrs. Louise Meyer, chairman of the welfare division, are in charge of the Christmas baskets.

Mrs. Joseph Milligan, membership chairman, has also put out an urgent request that all members pay up unpaid dues at the meeting.

Unsafe Vehicles were Contributing Causes in 13 Percent of the Fatal Traffic Accidents

Statistics of the National Safety Council indicate that unsafe vehicles were contributing causes in 13 percent of the fatal traffic accidents which occurred in 1946.

Jard rounded out the \$500 needed. The curtain, which has been ordered, is of coral velvet, with a cyclorama in a neutral shade. It will be installed in the near future.

SGT. LONNIE D. BYRD, JR., STATIONED IN TOKYO, JOINED BY WIFE, CHILDREN

Sgt. Lonnie D. Byrd, Jr., of Virginia Beach, was recently joined in Tokyo, Japan, by his wife, Leslie, and two children. Sgt. Byrd is stationed with the 406th Medical General Laboratory in Tokyo.

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W. D. Joyner and Josephine C. Joyner and G. H. Harding and Elsie Gilbert Harding to J. Walter Brothers, Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, Block 8, Virginia Beach Holding Corporation; tax \$3.00.

Harold D. Sinclair to William W. Boykin and Elizabeth R. Boykin, Lot 192, Plat of North Linkhorn Park; tax \$2.40.

Marion L. Leonard and Daniel R. Leonard to Princess Anne Improvement and Investment Corporation, Lots 139 and 143, Plat of Hollies; tax \$2.25.

James T. Ball and Marie James Ball to the Princess Anne Improvement and Investment Corporation, Lot 12, Block 11, Plat of Uebermeier; tax \$3.00.

Louis F. Davis and Wessie R. Davis to Marie M. Bernstein, Site "B," on Rainey's Cut, North Linkhorn Park; tax \$12.50.

John D. Ruse and Mary Holland Ruse to Walton G. Saunders and Louise M. Saunders, Lot 11, Block 3, Section E, Cape Henry; tax \$19.50.

Crystal Acres, Incorporated, to One G. Opolis, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7, Block F, Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, Block E, Cape Henry; tax \$23.50.

12, Block E, and Lots 3 and 4, Block G, Virginia Beach Holding Corporation; tax \$19.50.

Roy Smith, Special Commissioner, to Whit G. Sessoms, Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 105, Plat of Lakewood; tax \$30.

Roy Smith, Special Commissioner, to Whit G. Sessoms, Lot 33, Block 9, Plat of Atlantic Investment Company; tax \$30.

Roy Smith, Special Commissioner, to Whit G. Sessoms, Lots 34 and 36, Block 54, Map of Shadow Lawn Heights, and Lots 31 and 32, Block 103, Plat of Lakewood; tax \$30.

Roy Smith, Special Commissioner, to Whit G. Sessoms, Lot 4, Block C, Virginia Beach Holding Corporation; tax \$5.

Robert H. Baillo and Helen B. Baillo to M. Earl Woodhouse, western part of Site A, Map of Uebermeier Annex No. 2; tax \$5.

M. Earl Woodhouse and Virginia C. Woodhouse to Helen B. Baillo, western part of Site A, Map of Uebermeier Annex No. 2; tax \$5.

Thomas N. P. Johnson, Jr., and Helen Smith Johnson to Harry M. Smith and Bernice K. Smith, Lot 4 of subdivision of Lots 1 and 2, Block 10, Section E, Cape Henry; tax \$23.50.

Norfolk Southern Railway Company to Fred A. Haycox, Floyd M. Kellam and Sidney S. Kellam, triangular parcel located in northeast corner of Block 103, Virginia Beach; tax \$1.50.

Philip H. Eve and Martha F.

Eve to Clarence C. Dowling and Anne M. Sims, Lot 1, Block 4, Section D, Cape Henry; tax \$23.50.

R. Lee Page and Ruth L. Page to J. B. Withers, Site 162, Map of Linkhorn Park; tax \$2.40.

Mary R. Page and James C. Page to William G. Bruce and Elizabeth C. Bruce, Lot 104, Map of North-Linkhorn Park; tax \$23.50.

Norris M. Broughton to Virginia J. Krenbaum, Lot 8, Section A, Plat of Cavalier Shore; tax \$3.00.

Gladys B. Teagle to J. W. Wolcott, Jr., Lots 39 and 40, Block 138, Plat of Ridgcrest; tax \$1.65.

Birdneck Corporation to C. L. Adams and Nellie J. Adams, Lot 230, Bay Section, Birdneck Point; tax \$9.00.

Marguerite Evans Anderson and Harry M. Anderson, Alice Evans Belknap and P. B. Belknap, Alfreda Evans Luth and Frederick T. Luth and Alfred Harris Evans, Jr., and Florence E. Evans, to H. P. Dawson, Site 172, Map of Linkhorn Park; tax \$23.50.

Tourist Haven, Incorporated, to Gulf Stream Hotel Corporation, southern 90.50 feet x 121.5 feet of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 71, Plat of Virginia Beach; tax \$10.50.

Michael B. Cowdin and Elizabeth B. Dixon and G. Browning Dixon to Edwin C. Sykes, Lot 2, Block 19, Section E, Cape Henry; tax \$30.75.

Amelia G. McLean and George T. McLean to Oscar Stytle, Lot 17, Block 4, Plat of Uebermeier; tax \$4.50.

John B. Senter and Wilma M. Senter to Fuel Feed and Building Supplies Corporation, building located on corner of 19th Street and Arctic Avenue, Virginia Beach; tax \$4.50.

Kloise L. Van Os and Henry Van Os to August Collaboletta, 8.616 acres and 3.48 acres near Virginia Beach; tax \$15.00.

John M. Bratten, III, and Alma D. Bratten to Albert Kouri, Lots 17 and 18, Plat of Gordon, Cooke and Hume; tax \$2.10.

Lillian Adams Winder, Elizabeth P. W. Volke and Ernest H. Volke, Miriam W. Bright and J. W. Bright, Margaret W. Rousie and T. J. Rousie, Arthur J. Winder and Mary H. Winder and John M. Winder and Elizabeth M. Winder to Elodia Y. Kelsey, Lot 3, Plat of Gordon, Cooke and Hume; tax \$2.25.

Lillian Adams Winder, Elizabeth P. W. Volke and Ernest H. Volke, Miriam W. Bright and J. W. Bright, Margaret W. Rousie and T. J. Rousie, Arthur J. Winder and Mary H. Winder and John M. Winder and Elizabeth M. Winder to Hattie L. Ponton, Ruth V. Ponton and Alice B. Ponton, Lot 10, Plat of Gordon, Cooke and Hume; tax \$2.25.

John G. Zimmerman and Ruth T. Zimmerman to Denton T. Ya-

Construction Contracts Awarded

ble and Mary L. Yable, Lot 10, Block 2, Section D, Cape Henry; tax \$11.70.

W. D. Joyner and Josephine C. Joyner to Marshall J. Fisher and Eleanor L. Fisher, Lot 10, Block M, Section 1, Bay Colony Development; tax \$1.05.

George A. Ironside and Mel G. Ironside to William J. O'Brien, Lots 2, 3 and 4, Block 4, Section D, Cape Henry; tax \$5.50.

William J. O'Brien to W. L. Flaughner, Lot 4 and southern one-half of Lot 3, Block 4, Section D, Cape Henry; tax \$1.50.

Dorrie A. Throckmorton by Robert W. Throckmorton, attorney in fact, to R. Wilson Chapman, Lots 7 and 8, Block 11, Virginia Beach Annex No. 2; tax \$1.50.

Myrtle H. Smith and H. Garrett Smith to M. Iselle Siegel, southern portion of Site 53, Map of Linkhorn Park; tax \$35.25.

Crystal Acres, Incorporated, to Barlo de Poros, Lot 40, Plat of Crystal Acres; tax \$5.

Clara M. Lillienfeld, Baron M. Lillienfeld and Elizabeth S. Lillienfeld and Arthur Lillienfeld to L. C. Mallory, Lot 8, Block 17, Map 2, Virginia Beach Development Company; tax \$1.35.

Fred M. Carroll and Mary P. Carroll to Mary P. Carroll, Lot 17, Block 84, Map 6, Virginia Beach Development Company; tax \$3.00.

W. H. Proctor and Evelyn B. Proctor to James G. Page and

Construction contracts awarded in Princess Anne County and Virginia Beach were reported as follows in the Better Building Bulletin, published weekly by Builders and Contractors Exchange, for November 24.

Princess Anne County

Warehouse: Gibson Corp., owner, near Thomas' Corner; \$12,000. Bldg.: Atlantic Co., owner, near Little Creek Ferry; \$4,000.

Res.: Mary Rocha, owner, corner Waterworks Road and Furco Station, cinder block; \$3,100.

Res.: Ray M. Nelson, owner, Easton Place, frame; \$2,000.

Res.: W. A. Carter, owner, Bro Bay Point, cinder block; \$2,000.

Res.: E. L. Toler, owner, 8th Street, cinder block; \$3,000.

December 3:

Princess Anne County

Res.: Otto L. Neigenfind, own-

Mary R. Page, eastern 35 feet of Lot 8 and all of Lot 7, Block 1, Plat of Uebermeier; tax \$7.75.

Wiley W. Wood and Imogene H. Wood to R. L. Harcum and Mary W. Harcum, trading as Service Oil Company, Lot 5, Block 10, Section D, Cape Henry; tax \$1.50.

E. Ashley Haycox and Margaret S. Haycox to J. L. Strope, Jr., eastern 135 feet of northern 30 feet of Lot 4, Block 13, Section E, Cape Henry; tax \$1.50.



GIRL SCOUT DECORATES—The thirty-five members of Girl Scout Troop 1000 are making gay Christmas tree ornaments with which they will decorate trees to take to the local hospitals during the holiday season to brighten the days of the patients there. Shown in the picture are some of the Scouts, those who wore their uniforms in the day the photographer visited them, working on bright paper chains and painting pine cones. Leaders of the Troop, Mrs. J. M. Plunk and Mrs. R. C. Goodman, report that all thirty-five of the Scouts are turning out some beautiful decorations. (Stamper Photo)

er, Thalia Village, Virginia Beach; near Seacock, cement block; \$3,500.

Res.: E. W. James, owner, Tommie Carr, contractor, Oceana, frame; \$6,000.

Res.: R. W. Banks, owner, Derry G. Weddie, contractor, Lake Smith; \$6,000.

Res.: Charlie Ely, owner, near Seacock, cement block; \$4,000.

Res.: James Leroy Olds, owner, contest at no charge or obligation.

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Kale Diseases May Be Troublesome, Says Pathologist

Kale growers can expect some trouble during the next few months with the diseases black rot and downy mildew, says R. S. Mullin, plant pathologist at the Virginia Truck Experiment Station, Norfolk.

Black rot shows up in dead or dying areas on the edges of the leaves. The leaf veins may have a definite black color. In advanced stages, the disease causes death of the plant.

The recommended control for black rot is seed treatment with bichloride of mercury, 1-1000 a solution for 30 minutes. Wash and dry the seed thoroughly. Mr. Mullin warns farmers to be careful when handling the material, and not to use it in metal containers.

Downy mildew causes yellow spots to appear on the leaves of the plants. The spots later turn brown. A velvety white mold is present during damp weather on the under side of the leaves. This disease may be controlled by spraying or dusting with a copper fungicide. Mr. Mullin says, however, that farmers generally do not use control measures, as the disease does not normally cause much damage.

State Highway Department Road Crews Shift to Winter Schedule

Determined to post for the fourth consecutive year a record of "not one school bus day lost because of mud on the roads," the State Highway Department this week was shifting into a Winter operating schedule.

Highway engineers said that in most instances, school bus and farm-to-market roads are in good shape for the winter. In a fashion reminiscent of football coaches, however, they were cautious in their optimism.

"With a mild Winter like last year, we'll get through all right," one engineer commented. "But we've got to be ready for anything."

Making ready for "anything," local engineers have stock-piled crushed stone and gravel at strategic points along roads likely to fail in the event of prolonged rain or snow. Patrolmen already are keeping constant check to observe weak spots.

Not since the Winter of 1945-46 has a Virginia school bus failed to make its run because of mud on the roads. If pre-Winter preparations provide any indication, highway engineers will keep their record intact through another year.

Throughout the State, the department this Summer placed a strong emphasis on strengthening the gravel-surfaced school bus routes. Emphasis, too, was placed on bringing a greater mileage of RFD and farm-to-market roads to all-weather standards.

As the highway department geared its working program to meet Winter conditions, many road construction projects were going under partial or complete shutdown to prevent interference with traffic.

Many areas of the State were completing "dry runs" with their snow removal equipment and others already had sampled the real thing with sleet and snow that required the use of chemicals and abrasives to keep the roads from icing. In at least two counties, snow plows already had pushed light snow off the roads.

Most surface treatment work had ceased because of low temperatures and there was a letup


Corn Production Costs Being Studied By Extension Service

How far should farmers go in upping corn production costs? Extension Service specialists at V. F. I. aim to find out, and they have distributed cost record sheets among farmers in Virginia who have hit the 100-bushel-per-acre mark.

When the cost record sheets are returned, the specialists will have data to tell them whether or not producing 100 bushels per acre and up is economical on certain farms.

E. D. Chastain, associate economist, and P. H. DeHart, agronomist, who are conducting the study, report that the average corn yield in Virginia increased from 26 bushels per acre in 1938 to 43 in 1948.


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Tourist Establishment Permits Dependent on Sanitation Code

Tourist camp, hotel, and restaurant owners who have not complied in full with state sanitation laws by December 31 will be refused permits to operate after that date, State Health Commissioner L. J. Roper has announced.

In issuing the warning to the group which includes also owners of tourist homes and trailer camps, Dr. Roper emphasized that temporary permits for operation of about 900 establishments will expire at the year's end.

Any temporary permits to operate after January 1 will be issued subject to review by the State office, he said. Such permits, however, will be issued very rarely, and court action faces owners who continue to operate without annual permits, he added.

The 900 temporary permits were issued mainly to owners who desired to make structural changes or discover new water supplies after 17,000 establishments were brought under State Health Department supervision by the Tourist Establishment Sanitation Law of 1948 requiring future operation under annual permit only.

About 84 per cent of the establishments have qualified for annual permits, Dr. Roper said. Half of the remainder either were unable or unwilling to comply with the higher standards of cleanliness and sanitation. They closed or changed to other types of businesses.

The remaining group have continued to operate, however, under temporary permits pending proposed changes.

Care in Handling Firearms Stressed

Care in handling firearms cannot be too greatly stressed, according to I. T. Quinn, Commissioner of Game and Inland Fisheries. While only one fatality has been reported during the current hunting season up to this time, it is greatly feared that there will be other accidents before the season closes. Virginia's record for safety in hunting, however, has been very good in past years.

Two quail hunters in Charlotte County were within five feet of each other when the birds flushed. One of the men is reported to have whirled and fired with his companion directly in-line with his shot charge.

Farmers to Get First Chance at Market Stock

Farmers are being given first chance to buy stock in the Tidewater Regional Market, Inc., to be built on a 23-acre tract near Glenrock, Vernon Watts, associate extension horticulturist at the Truck Experiment Station, Norfolk, reports.

A goal of \$25,000 in stock to be owned by farmers has been set, he says.

The market is authorized to issue \$500,000 per value of stock: 400,000 shares of common at \$1.00 per share, and 2,000 shares of preferred at \$50 per share. Only the holders of common stock have voting power.

Mr. Watts explains that the market will provide a centralized

Forest Service Places Fire Prevention Signs Along Highways

The forest fire prevention signs recently appearing along the main highways are being erected by the Virginia Forest Service, according to George W. Dean, state forester. He states that the Virginia Department of Highways has made their right-of-way available for such use as a part of Virginia's

place for selling produce in the area, first for farmers in Tidewater Virginia and North Carolina. The first building will be a farmers' shed, with adjacent parking and outside selling area for trucks.

An additional \$60,000 to \$80,000 in stock sold for the first units of the market will go to wholesalers and to outsiders.

forest fire prevention program.

The signs, which were made by the State Penitentiary, are 26x30 inches. They are erected on cross-rotated wood posts and carry various forest fire prevention messages, including Virginia's well-known "Keep Virginia Green" slogan.

Mr. Dean hopes that the signs will serve to remind the traveling public to use care in discarding matches and cigarettes. He states that careless smokers are responsible for an unnecessarily large portion of Virginia's forest fires. Use of automobile ash trays and care in discarding smokes in the forests would save many destructive fires. During the hunting season, especially, it is hoped that people will be reminded that fire destroys game, game food and game cover.

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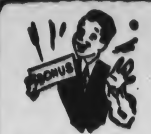
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J. G. HOLTZCLAW
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TO THE PEOPLE OF VIRGINIA:

This letter deals with something of great importance to both you and to us, not just as business men and farmers, but as Virginians and Americans. We refer to the proposed \$14,000,000 power plant and transmission line project of the Old Dominion Electric Cooperative.

The Old Dominion Electric Cooperative proposes to spend these millions of dollars of government money to build a completely unnecessary power station and almost 900 miles of equally unnecessary transmission lines. They justify this expenditure on the ground that it "will add to the well-being and prosperity of the rural people of Virginia and the State as a whole."

Now that's a fine, high sounding statement. Let's take a look at the facts and see if it's true.

Will this proposed program improve the power supply of the cooperatives or make it more reliable? No—it will simply duplicate existing facilities, reduce the number of power sources available to the cooperatives (Old Dominion would have one steam generating station with 24,000 KW capacity, while Vepco, in addition to four high capacity interconnections with other private power systems, has eight stations with a combined capacity of over 600,000 kilowatts), and increase the cost of their power.

Will it help in any way to promote the stated purposes of REA? Definitely not. Back in 1936 Congress created the REA to bring "electric energy to persons in rural areas who are not receiving central station service." The electrification of all rural areas in Virginia is rapidly nearing completion. Eighty-five per cent of the farms of the State are already being served. Before this proposed project can be constructed more than 90% of these farms will be receiving electric service.

Will it reduce the cost of power furnished to the cooperatives? No. On the contrary, it will increase the cost. Vepco has offered to sell these cooperatives all the power they now need, or may need in the future, at costs substantially lower, in our opinion, than can be obtained from the proposed project. Cheaper power for rural customers, therefore, will not result from this project.

Will the spending of this \$14,000,000 bring electricity to any more farms? No, it will not. The source from which a cooperative obtains its power supply, provided only that supply is adequate, dependable, and economical, in no way increases or decreases the number of customers who will be served by that cooperative.

Since this project will not improve the reliability of their power supply, since it will actually reduce the sources of power available to these cooperatives, since it will be a wasteful duplication of existing facilities, since it won't bring electricity to any additional farms, since it will increase the cost of electricity to these cooperatives—in view of all these things—how can it possibly "add to the well-being and prosperity of the rural people of Virginia and the State as a whole?"

Well, if you believe in Socialism, then maybe that statement about "well-being" is a long step toward the realization that this project is a long step toward the socialization of electric power in Virginia. If socialization of electric power in Virginia is all kinds, including farming, is good. As one editor has expressed it: "The people of the United States have a right to socialize the power industry, or all industry, if they want to. But they ought not to be eased into such a program by the back door, and without realizing what they are doing."

Somewhere we don't think that Virginians believe in Socialism. We don't believe that when they think this thing through, they'll like to see public money wastefully wasted. We don't think Virginians want government competing in their own businesses or in anyone else's business. We'd like to hear what you think. Won't you write us?

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Teen Age Club News

Community House

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Basketball Team to Sponsor Show
Friday, December 16, the Community House basketball team will sponsor "Kid" Smith and his Dixie Night Hawks, stars of radio and stage, consisting of string music, singing, acrobatics, and vaudeville. The show is new and different, and designed for the entire family.

"I'll be heard from our Community House basketball team as line goes on. All members, except the coach, are teen agers and members of our club. The team is well coached and can give any team in Princess Anne and surrounding counties a real battle.

Let's all come to see "Kid" Smith and his Dixie Night Hawks Friday, December 16 at 8 o'clock, and show the basketball team of the Community House we are with them. Show starts 8 p.m. at the Community House; adults 50c and children under 12, 25c.

—Manager, Basketball Team

Teen Agers See "Candle Light"
"Candle Light," the second play of the season given by the Little Theatre of Virginia Beach, was witnessed by twenty-two teen agers of the Community House in a group. Between the first and second act pictures were made of the teen agers and we hope to have one published in our column soon.

—A Teen Ager

Bits of the Beach

Did you know that Connie Cooke's football hero from Chapel Hill was home last week-end? Jeanette Coleman's new flame is from Williamsburg. His name is Rusty.

Did you know that the Junior Class of O. H. S. is giving a dance on the 16th of this month. All students are invited. The price is \$1.20 stag or drag.

Can you imagine—Skeets and Pat still going strong? Jane Williams not listening to the W. & M. games? Katherine Meeks not talking home instead of going con hunting? Bruce Jones without a red or green sweater on? Shirley D. not eating all the time?
—E. S.

Basketball Team Defeats Oceana

Monday, December 5, the Community House basketball team defeated the Oceana Cavaliers by a score of 35 to 29. The game was close from start to finish, well played by both teams. All are looking forward to a future contest between these two teams.

Just before the game Simmons snapped group pictures of the Community House team.
—Rooter

Personal Interviews

Name: Bobby Coleman; address: 306-C, 24th Street; age: 18; place of birth: Lynchburg, Va.; ideal girl: blond hair, blue eyes, nice shape; favorite sport: football; ambition: football; most embarrassing moment: when I got caught coming in one night.

Name: Bobby Tarrash; address: 417 16th Street; age: 19; place of birth: Virginia Beach; ideal girl: blond hair, blue eyes; favorite sport: basketball; ambition: to marry a wealthy society woman; most embarrassing moment: something that happened on a Saturday night.

Name: Wesley Barnes; address: 16th Street; age: 18; place of birth: Princess Anne, Va.; ideal girl: Jerry; favorite sport: football; ambition: butcher; most embarrassing moment: one night while out with a girl.

Name: Bruce Jones; address: Shadow Lawn Heights; age: 19; place of birth: South Norfolk, Va.



Bowling Leagues

Major League—Monday

Bowling in the Major League Willie's Place team, led by Randy Mann with a 340 set, won all three games from the Lions Club boys. Robert Creamer was high with a 325 set.

Bramley's Market boys, with Kenneth Hill rolling a 331 set won all three games from Pureo Esso Station team. Edward Dudley was

Ideal girl: blond hair, blue eyes, nice shape; favorite sport: basketball; ambition: pro football; most embarrassing moment—Al's party.

—The Inquiring Reporter.

Harvest Dance

The teen agers held their second dance of the year on Friday November 25, at the Community House. Pat Conway and Bobby Rice were crowned queen and king. Leggie Malbon, Wilbur Snow, Catherine Meeks, and Ambler Hatcher were the attendants. Edgar Meeks was the page who crowned the king and queen. Mary Ellen Perry was the flower girl, and presented the queen with a bouquet of chrysanthemums.

The dance was quite a success and we are looking forward to many more like it.

While on the subject of dances let's not forget the Christmas Dance sponsored by the Junior Class in the Oceana Gym on December 16, 1949.

—Skitty Falconer

high with a 300 set.
Bramley's Market boys were led by Al Hume with a 340 set won two out of three from Colonial Esso team. Randy Malbon was high with a 330 set.
Men's Handicap League—Tuesday
Bowling in the Men's Handicap League Quater Motor Company, with Ed Hill rolling a 344 set, won three games from Greasy Brothers. Earl Smith was high for Greasy with a 304 set.
W. G. Holland Construction Co., led by Max Moore with a 319 set,

won two out of three from Oceana Cleaners. Gilly Lawrence was high with a 323 set.
Mentor Decorators, with Bill Bartley rolling a 300 set, won two out of three from Land Grocery. Bill Fallett was high with a 320 set.
Ladies League—Wednesday
Virginia Beach News won two from Powell - McChellan Lumber Company.
Tidewater Gas won two games from Snow White Laundry.
Leading Beauty Salon won two

games from James G. West, Jr. Mercer and Brown won all three games from Colonial Club.
31st Street Cleaners won two games from Beach Radio Service.
Western Auto Stores won two from Colonial Ready-to-Wear.
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Gloomy Christmas in Prospect For Many in County; Applications For Help from Joy Fund Total 377

Donations Total \$984.32 to Date; Old Clothing Needed

It looks as if Christmas will be a dark day for many people in Princess Anne County this year—a dark day for our needy neighbors—a gloomy day for the disappointed children, whose hands will be empty of toys and whose hearts empty of Christmas joy.

That is the conclusion of the officers of the Princess Anne County Joy Fund, who point out that only \$984.32 has been received this year, with a list that is a continually mounting of the sorely needy who should be helped, with whom others more fortunate should share. Applications for help at this time number 63 from the Virginia Beach area, and 314 from the county itself.

Virginia Beach donations total \$901.15, while donations from the county total but \$83.17, or 27 cents for each of the 314 needing help in the county.

The officers of the Joy Fund have investigated each application, and have weeded out those who are not genuinely in need. Applications flooding into headquarters are heartbreaking. One case: "Eight children, the oldest father has one leg paralyzed, mother is bedridden." Another: "My husband died years ago, now I am in a terrible fix with my five children ranging in age from six months to six years of age. I live with my mother and father. My children have nothing for Christmas." Still another: "Please put my name in to some fund to help me for Christmas. I need coal, I have no money to buy any. What money I get it takes for my bills. I won't have any money to buy my boy anything for Christmas."

Share your good fortune! Don't let your neighbor down!

Used clothing is needed, and is not coming in in sufficient quantities or in time to mend and repair. Bring in used toys to Bubba Bayne at the Fire Department where members of the force will repair them. Or if you can't bring in these things call Virginia Beach 585 or Norfolk 2449 and they will be called for.

Post Office to be Open Sunday for Busy Citizens

The Virginia Beach Post Office will be open on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. for Parcel Post mailing and stamp sales, according to an announcement by Assistant Postmaster Roy Jackson.

Mr. Jackson said that he believed the Sunday opening would facilitate mailing greatly, and would be of help to busy citizens.

The local post office has had unusually heavy mail loads, Mr. Jackson said, but the public has been most cooperative in that they have taken the early mailing warnings to heart.

Additional equipment at the post office has been of great benefit in getting the mails out.

Even though things are running smoothly, however, Mr. Jackson added, the public's help is urgently needed. Don't wait to the last minute to mail—mail now!

Send in Christmas Seal Money!

Send in your money for your Christmas Seals as soon as you can. Mrs. Frances Brickhouse, chairman of the Princess Anne and Norfolk Counties Tuberculosis Association, said that returns from the seal sales are slow in coming in this year. So much depends on your response to the call—so please send in your money now.

Lester B. Shelly, C. of C. President, Dies Unexpectedly

Burial Wednesday For Prominent Civic, Church Leader

Lester Benjamin Shelly, president of the Virginia Beach Chamber of Commerce, and well-known business man, died of a heart attack Monday afternoon.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Galilee Episcopal Church. The Rev. Edmund Berkeley, rector of the church, officiated. Interment was in the Eastern Shore Chapel Cemetery, Oceana.

Mr. Shelly, a native of Oregon, Ill., had been a resident of Virginia Beach since 1930. He owned and operated the Shelly Music and Appliance Company. He died at his residence, 35½ Street and Pacific Avenue.

He was a son of the late Benjamin F. and Mrs. Mildred Gardner Jones Shelly. He attended Culver Military Academy, and the College of William and Mary, where he was a member of the Theta Delta Chi Fraternity.

Prominent and unendingly faithful in church affairs, Mr. Shelly was a vestryman and junior warden of Galilee Episcopal Church. In addition to being president of the Chamber of Commerce, he was a past president of the Virginia Beach Little Theatre, and a member of the Hurlian Club of Princess Anne County. He served on the town council from 1942 to 1944.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Marguerite Swann Shelly; a son, Robert Gardner Shelly; a daughter, Mrs. Eloise Shelly Taylor, all of Virginia Beach; his stepmother, Mrs. B. P. Shelly, of Oregon, Ill.; and a half-brother, George W. Shelly, of Galeburg, Ill.

Douglas Fondren, Nancy Sparks Win Popularity Contest

Little Nancy Sparks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Sparks, of Virginia Beach, and Douglas Fondren, son of L. Comdr. and Mrs. Fondren, of London, were the winners of the Popularity Contest sponsored by the Daughters of America Council No. 6, of Virginia Beach.

The contest ended December 10. Second among the little girls was Peggy Lee Garrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Garrison, and Gary Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Price, of Virginia Beach.

The little winners, who were crowned Prince and Princess, were presented with silver cups, while Peggy and Gary each received a silver spoon.

The list of contestants, with their sponsors, were: Linda Anne Cowhan, sponsored by Mrs. Pearl Allen; Brenda Marshall, by Mrs. Elsie Merkle; Clarissa Garrett, by Mrs. Inez Garrett; Anne Marshall, by Mrs. Elberta Smedley; Carol Sue Carter, by Mrs. Ruth Mangos; Carolyn Gay Litchfield, by Mrs. Alice Litchfield; Linda Lee Hunter, by Mrs. Roxie Byrd; Michelle Sykes, by Mrs. Almyra Brothers; Theresa Corpey, by Mrs. Lela Whitehurst; Peggy Lee Garrison, by Mrs. Lettie Garrison; Nancy Sparks, by Mrs. Edna Woodhouse; Linda Doss, by Mrs. Lucy Doss; Douglas Fondren, by Mrs. Ruth Patterson; John O'Neal, by Mrs. Alma O'Neal; and Gary Price, by Mrs. Cecelia Morse.

The contest was held at the home of Mrs. John R. Anderson, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. E. H. Egan, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. Lewis Throm, and Mrs. Van Buskirk.

Youngsters attending the performance will be the recipients of Christmas presents, according to Mrs. Van Buskirk.

Those making the gifts possible, she said, are Mrs. James L. Bennett, the Linkhorn Garden Club, Miss Carol Simpson, and Mrs. Alfred Mundy.

Mrs. C. B. Bell is in charge of the committee making arrangements for the show. She is being assisted by Mrs. John R. Anderson, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. E. H. Egan, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. Lewis Throm, and Mrs. Van Buskirk.

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Town Council Passes Annexation Question On to Citizenry by Calling Mass Meeting

Art Exhibit Being Shown at Creeds High School

17th Century Dutch Art Loan by Va. Museum Fine Arts

An exhibition of reproductions of 17th century Dutch masters, arranged by and a loan from the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts in Richmond, will be on display from December 18 through 31 at Creeds High School, Beach Bay.

After the people of that section of Europe, which we know today as Holland, or the Netherlands, had broken away in the 16th century from Spanish rule, and had become a prosperous empire through their explorers, the people of these lands became self-conscious to the point of wishing their likenesses recorded for posterity.

During the 17th century art flourished in the Low Countries. Artists such as Rembrandt and Hals were kept busy painting the portraits of solid Dutch citizens, their families, their homes, their food and their countryside.

These Dutchmen were proud of their accomplishments, and painting in the 17th century naturally took the form of portraiture. The Dutchman's great devotion to his country may be seen, however, in the bits of landscapes which invariably form the background for the portrait studies.

Standing out as one of the greatest of the Dutch masters was Rembrandt van Rijn, and the collection of Dutch masters which will be shown includes five examples of his art. His spiritual humor and philosophy are shown in these paintings: "Self Portrait," "The Boy with the Dragon's Guild," and "Christ, the Pilgrim."

Others whose work is included are Frans Hals, Jan Vermeer, J. M. W. Turner, Gabriel Metsu, Carl Frederik, Pieter de Hooch, Jacob van Ruysdael and Meindert Hobbema.

Mrs. Burmeister Wins Certificate of Merit

Mrs. A. Burmeister, of 64th Street, Virginia Beach, secretary-treasurer of the Clark Chevrolet Corporation, was one of 125 Chevrolet accountants who were honored by Certificates of Merit at a meeting of the Chevrolet Business Management Council held in Richmond this week.

The occasion was the annual election of officers and the Christmas party of the Council of the Baltimore zone of the Chevrolet Motor Division, of which M. J. Logan is zone manager. The meeting was held December 14 at the John Marshall Hotel.

Business Management Councils are located in all sections of the nation, and are composed of accountants employed by Chevrolet dealerships.

Of the 125 accountants honored, 32 were cited for unusually splendid records under the national program.

PTA Christmas Party At Creeds Monday

A Christmas party will be given by the Creeds Parent-Teacher Association at Creeds High School on Monday night, December 19, at 8 o'clock.

The school band, under the direction of James Cantwell, will give a concert of Christmas music in the auditorium.

The remainder of the program will take place in the gymnasium. Each elementary grade will present a Christmas carol and the high school chorus will lead the group in other Yuletide songs.

The highlight of the evening will be the scheduled visit of Santa Claus with gifts for everyone.

Refreshments and decorations will carry out the holiday theme.

Meeting to be Held at Cooke School Tuesday, December 27; Consideration of Fishing Pier Deferred; Shelly Eulogized in Resolution

The Town Council has called a public meeting to consider the townspeople's reaction to the annexation of North Virginia Beach and the territory west of Linkhorn Bay. The meeting will be held in the Willoughby T. Cooke School on the night of December 27 (Tuesday) at 8 p.m.

Presbyterians To Hear Guest Minister Sunday

Cantata, Candle Light Service Sunday Night

The Rev. Fred V. Poag will be the guest minister at the First Presbyterian Church at the morning worship service on Sunday, assisted by the pastor, the Rev. Robert F. Davis. The Rev. Mr. Poag was formerly pastor of Second Presbyterian Churches of Richmond and Alexandria, Va., and is pastor-elect of the Shandon Presbyterian Church, Columbia, S. C.

After an organ recital of Christmas music by Mrs. Charles H. Hitchins, the choir will enter singing "As With Gladness Men of God," by Dix-Kocher. The morning solo will be sung by W. Fred Bonney, Jr., and the offertory anthem will be "The Christmas Fantasy," by Gilbert. The choir and congregation will join in the recessional hymn, "Joy to the World," by Watts-Handel.

The traditional candle-light and cantata service will begin at 7:45 p.m. with an organ recital by Mrs. Hitchins. The choir will present "The Coming of the King" from "The Christmas Year" by Dudley Buck. Mrs. G. Russell Gimbart has been directing the choir, but in her absence due to illness, Mrs. Thomas Davis will take her place on Sunday evening. Solo parts will be sung by Mrs. W. Fred Bonney, Jr., Miss Peggy Gregg and Mrs. Davies; Joe White, Jimmy Midgett, W. Fred Bonney, Jr., Marvin Hardy, Ben McCleskey and B. R. McCorby.

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The council took this step at its regular December meeting Tuesday when annexation had been scheduled for discussion and action.

Citizens of the Beach are urged to send any questions they may have concerning the subject to the Town Hall in order that they may be answered at the meeting.

Acting on Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood's recommendation that action by the council be deferred until the members had further opportunity to study the effects of annexation, the councilmen decided that definite action on the proposal should not take place until after the public meeting.

Councilman H. E. Halstead declared: "We as the Council are going to investigate the proposition in a realistic way, not in a 'wishful thinking' way."

Town Manager Lockwood replied that he is prepared after a long and most careful study to make the recommendation that annexation proceedings get the go-ahead signal. He declared in answer to Councilman Halstead's "wishful thinking" suggestion that the survey made by the Norfolk engineering firm at Council's request had been prepared on a thorough and conservative basis, as have other projected cost analyses, and that he is ready to stand back of the survey and the feasibility of annexation.

Mr. Lockwood also took the occasion to take exception to the claim that the amount of county indebtedness which the town would have to take over in the event of annexation would be excessive. "Although it was claimed that \$150,000 of indebtedness would be involved, the survey proves (on the basis of figures taken from the county records and the commissioner of revenue's office) that the actual indebtedness is \$90,093, and the annexation plan provides for the payment of interest and amortization in the fiscal period 1951-52," he asserted.

"Furthermore," he continued, "any inequities in real property assessments between town and county should be brought to the attention of the Tax Equalization Board and ironed out."

Jetty Planned

The council authorized the advertising for bids for the construction of a single experimental jetty, characterized by Joseph McDaid, consulting engineer, as "strictly a gamble," which would be built of steel piling on an interlocking type, to extend between 105 and 140 feet into the ocean, at a cost of \$40 a lineal foot. Should the jetty proposal go through, it could be completed in a month's time, weather permitting, according to Town Engineer Carroll J. Bounds.

To Seek Appropriation

At Mr. Lockwood's recommendation, Mayor Patton will head a committee composed of W. W. McClean and R. L. Simpson to act with town officials to seek an appropriation of not less than \$100,000 for the Memorial from the State legislature for erosion purposes. "Other states, such as New York, Maryland, and New Jersey, all aid their seashore resorts," Mr. Lockwood said, "and I believe that Virginia will help us win the State's prime resort."

Other Business

The council passed a resolution eulogizing L. B. Shelly, former member of the council and prominent in Beach affairs, whose death had occurred the previous day.

Consideration and approval of the proposed fishing pier, to be erected off 15th Street, was deferred.

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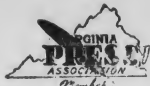
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CAMPAIN PROMISES—ANNEXATION

Annexation, one of the most important issues that confronts the people of Virginia Beach, appears to be getting the same brush-off that many issues get when there is the need for official action.

We should like to imagine that when comparable instances arise in personal or business affairs our Councilmen would not deliberately shelve their own matters of importance.

Or could it be that they have quite forgotten the rash promises made during the campaign in 1948 when each candidate stated his interest in annexation and promised to see Virginia Beach grow through this means.

Where do they stand on their promises today? They were elected by the citizens of the town (and, as rumor has it, a great many who actually live outside the town limits). These people were apparently counting on their representatives to work in the interest of Virginia Beach—and keep their campaign promises.

Tuesday night, December 27, the public will be given an opportunity to be heard at a public meeting to be held at W. T. Cooke School. It is urged that each individual consider the issue and understand the ultimate goal—a greater Virginia Beach. If enough population can be included in the town we may become a city of the second class, which would be a great step in the right direction.

LESTER B. SHELLY

Virginia Beach paid tribute Wednesday to the memory of Lester B. Shelly, whose untimely death on Monday took one of the community's leading citizens.

A man of untiring activity and sympathetic understanding, Mr. Shelly made a place for himself in the life of the community during his nineteen years residence here which few, if any, could fill. His tragic death at 40 years, in the prime of his life, is mourned by many.

Mr. Shelly gave unstintingly of his boundless energy for civic betterment and entered into the activities that have built Virginia Beach into the thriving community that it is. His leadership has breathed life into many civic endeavors.

The list of his activities is long, but the outstanding contributions were to his church and to the Chamber of Commerce. In the church he was junior warden and vestryman, as well as a leader among the young people's activities. In the Chamber of Commerce, his two terms as president saw the highest achievements of that body.

The tragedy of his early death is keenly felt by everyone. The warmth of his friendship was bestowed on many, and those many will not soon forget him, nor what he meant to his community.

LOOKING BACK

TWENTY-ONE YEARS AGO—DECEMBER 7-14, 1928

The Virginia Beach Weekly of December 7, 1928, announced the passing of A. Johnston Ackies founder of the Weekly and Judge of the Circuit Court. He had been in ill health for some time.

\$14,000 in Christmas savings checks were mailed out by the Virginia Bank and Trust Company, an increase over the previous year of \$6,000.

The Weekly of December 14 told of the successful hunting trip that two Oceana men made in North Carolina. There they shot and killed four black bears. They brought back with them one 195-pounder. In addition to the bear, they reported a bag of more than 100 partridges. The happy hunters were Kenneth and Edwin Lindsey.

Each Masons elected new officers at their annual banquet. They were: W. P. Lipscomb, W. A. Doherty, W. B. Jackson, C. Wade Kennedy, R. B. Taylor, Stephen Salazar, H. C. Old, P. W. Ackies, George W. Anderson, J. F. Ingram, T. D. Wesley, and J. N. Ward.

Trustees were Herman Drinkwater, J. E. Jard and B. G. Porter.

Monitor Roll at the Beach school included, in the kindergarten, Katherine Planagan, Charlotte Garrison, and Dawson Taylor. First Grade honor roll at the Court House School included Elizabeth McClannan, Ruby Hare, Thelma Litchfield, Helen Bartee, Mary Brown, Elanthe Land, Vivian Bonney and Dorothy Eaton.

A fifty-room addition was be-

Princess Anne Teacher Salaries Near Top of Scale for Counties

The average salary of all teachers in Virginia was up \$153 for the school year 1948-49; during 1947-48 the average salary was \$1,904, while for 1948-49 the average salary was \$2,146, according to an analysis made by the Virginia Education Association.

Princess Anne County, with an average elementary salary of \$2,079 ranked eleventh among the 100 counties as compared with a ranking of eighth last year. Her high school teachers average of \$2,151 ranked her 22nd as compared with 16th last year.

However, because of the salary extremes existing in Virginia, "average salary" is a very deceptive figure. For example, while the average of all teachers was \$2,146, 64 per cent, or 6,069 county teachers received salaries of less than \$2,000 during 1948-49. Forty per cent, or 5,174 county teachers received less than \$1,800 and 12.5 per cent, or 1,618 county teachers received less than \$1,500. The elementary average in Blaine County was \$1,261 and the high school average in Carroll was \$1,407.

At the other extreme the average elementary teacher's salary in Arlington was \$2,934, while the average high school salary in Arlington was \$3,034 and only six per cent of the city teachers received less than \$2,000 during 1948-49.

If Virginia had a system of State-wide minimum salaries, the average would be much more meaningful. As it was, however, in 51 counties seventy-five per cent or more of the teachers got less than \$2,000 per year in 1948-49. In 21 counties ninety per cent or more of all the teachers got less than \$2,000.

Between county and city elementary teachers, there was an average salary difference of \$780 in favor of the city elementary teachers, and a \$736 difference in favor of the city high school teachers.

The State elementary average was \$2,665 and the high school average \$2,380.

The study of the Virginia Education Association was based on figures secured from the division superintendents of schools by the State Department of Education.

Mrs. Emily G. Holland

Funeral services for Mrs. Emily Gregory Holland, wife of B. P. Holland, and long a prominent and well loved resident of Virginia Beach, were conducted at the Galilee Episcopal Church on Saturday at 2 p.m. by the Rev. Edmund Berkeley, rector. Burial was in Eastern Shore Chapel Cemetery, Oceana.

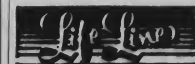
Mrs. Holland died last week at her residence.

Pal bearers were Walton G. Holland, David G. Holland, Bernard P. Holland, Jr., John L. F. Holland, Bernard P. Holland, III, Harry H. Holland, Jr., and Dr. G. W. Simpson.

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TB Mobile Unit Visits Creeds High School

In cooperation with the Virginia State Department of Health, the Norfolk and Princess Anne Counties Tuberculosis Associations sent a mobile unit to Creeds High School during school hours Tuesday, December 13, for free chest

X-rays for all students over fifteen years of age, for the faculty, and for patrons of the school.

Everyone that had the examination will receive reports of any significant chest findings from their family physician who will be contacted by the association.

All negative findings will be reported to the student directly by mail. All students over fifteen were

urged to take this examination.

The 43rd annual Christmas Seal Sale is being conducted from November 21 to December 25 to raise funds for the nation-wide tuberculosis control and prevention programs of the 3,000 associations affiliated with the National Tuberculosis Association.



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A&P Employees Get Christmas Bonus
A Christmas bonus totaling \$2-250,000 will be distributed among employees of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company on De-

ember 16, it is announced by John A. Harford, chairman of the board.
All A&P employees throughout the country with six months or more service will participate in the pre-holiday cash distribution.

Last year the company voted \$2-100,000 additional compensation.

Most traffic accidents occur on Saturdays, with Fridays ranking just behind in the number of fatal and non-fatal collisions.

Success of Seal Sale Essential For X-Ray Program, Says Roper

Concern has been expressed by Dr. L. J. Roper, State Health Commissioner, over reports which indicate the Christmas Seal Sale returns are less than last year in several sections of the state.

"While the tuberculosis death rate was lower in Virginia than ever before," stated Dr. Roper, "more cases of the disease are being found. In addition to the cases of tuberculosis reported by physicians, the X-ray surveys are uncovering a number of cases not previously known."

Dr. Roper said that in the past year approximately 365,000 X-rays had been made in Virginia by mobile units in surveys of the general population. A number of those X-rayed revealed suspicious shadows which required further X-ray study and diagnosis. Approximately 300 new cases of tuberculosis are being reported each month, or about 3,600 for the year.

"There is greater need than ever for the program of education, case-finding and rehabilitation which is being carried on by the Virginia Tuberculosis Association and its 113 county and city affiliates. I count upon the voluntary tuberculosis associations to help in the all-out campaign to eradicate the disease in Virginia."

Dr. Roper continued, "I hope those who have an opportunity to buy Christmas Seals will do so. Tuberculosis is still a major health problem in Virginia and still the chief cause of death between the ages of 15 to 34. Its eradication is everybody's business."

Miss Leslie Combs Foster, executive secretary of the Virginia Tuberculosis Association explained that contributors should send their gifts to the tuberculosis association in their community. She said that while contributions would be appreciated at any time, it would be helpful if they could be received before Christmas as next year's program is dependent upon them.

The late Miss Emily P. Bissell, founder of the Christmas Seal Sale in this country, was honored in 1942 by the National Tuberculosis Association with the award of the Trudeau Medal for distinguished service to the anti-tuberculosis movement.

He further stated that contrary to several newspaper articles, such payments are earned dividends and not in any sense a Government hand-out. National Service Life Insurance is established by law as a mutual insurance, which means that any excess funds which accrue from the operation must be shared proportionately by the policy holders and returned to them. This was written into the law by the Congress so as to provide those entering service with insurance protection at rates they could afford to pay.

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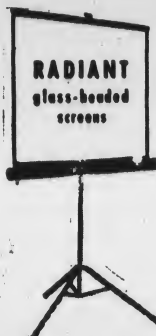
American Legion Says \$2.8 Dividend Not A "Bonus"

R. W. Rose, of Norfolk, Second District chairman of the American Legion Rehabilitation Committee, Department of Virginia, stated today that the \$2.8 billion special dividend to be paid to some 16 million World War II veterans next year is a dividend under the law, and not a "bonus" or a "treasury grab," as it has been called in some quarters.

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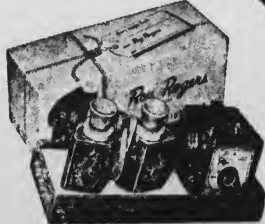
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Mrs. E. L. Cannon, of Norfolk, will be the guest for the Christmas holidays of her sister, Mrs. B. F. Allen, at her home on 66th Street.

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PARTIES -- ANNOUNCEMENTS -- PERSONALS

Mrs. J. Peter Holland, III, and young son left Tuesday to visit Mrs. Holland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Steel, at their home in Petersburg, Va.

Miss Marie Sparks will arrive this week-end from Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Sparks, at their home on 52nd Street.

Comdr. and Mrs. K. C. Childers and two children will arrive next week from Arlington, Va., to spend Christmas with Mrs. Childers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Dodson, in Rudee Heights.

E. A. Cunningham and Miss Altha Cunningham will be the guests for Christmas of Mr. Cunningham's daughter, Mrs. Roland Tharp, at her home on 78th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barner have returned to their home on 79th Street after spending the week-end in Washington, D. C.

Albert L. Grimes, Jr., has returned to his home on 54th Street after visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Lieut. and Mrs. Ellis R. Taylor, in Jacksonville, Fla.

Lieut. William C. Cunningham, of San Juan, Puerto Rico, arrived Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Lee, on 52nd Street.

Mrs. Robert Turnbull returned Tuesday to her home in New Bern, N. C., after visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Turnbull on Holly Road.

Among those arriving next week from the University of Virginia to spend Christmas at their homes are David Pender, III, Roddy Watson, John P. Winn, III, Craig and Charles Slinguff, Buddy Rumble, and Richard Gormley.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Bolter, of Philadelphia, Pa., will be the guests for Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hodges at their home on Holly Road.

Midshipman Walter G. Maser will arrive next week from the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Maser, Jr., on 53rd Street.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Smith, Jr., will arrive next week from Lexington, Va., to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, at their home on Avenue D.

Miss Mary Forsberg, of Richmond, will be the guest for Christmas of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Forsberg, at their home on 75th Street. Miss Forsberg will attend the opening ball of the Norfolk German Club.

Miss Harriet Eburden will arrive next week from William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va., to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Edith Burden, on 78th Street.

MRS. FRANK BUSCH PLANS PARTY FOR GRANDSON

Mrs. Frank Busch will entertain this afternoon at her home in Linkhorn Park at a party in celebration of the fourth birthday anniversary of her grandson, John M. Grow. Twenty guests will be present.

Mrs. Peggy Casparis and two children will leave Wednesday to visit Mrs. Casparis' father, Tolar Molley, and Mrs. Molley, at their home in Richmond, Va.

Miss Ann Kyle will arrive today from St. Mary's College, Raleigh, N. C., to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Kyle, at their home in Alantone.

Charles Syer, III, will arrive next week from Princeton, N. J., to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Syer, Jr., at their home on 52nd Street.

Miss Mary Pender, a student at the Shipley School, at Bryn Mawr, will arrive today to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Pender, Jr., at their home in Bay Colony.

Miss Annine Forsberg will arrive tomorrow from Stuart Hall, Staunton, Va., to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Forsberg, at their home on 62nd Street. Miss Forsberg will make her debut December 23 at the opening ball of the Norfolk German Club.

Admiral and Mrs. Jerould Wright and Admiral and Mrs. Fred Kirkland were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Johnson, at Duck Island.

Joseph Jarman has returned to Richmond after spending the week-end at the Cavalier Hotel.

Mrs. John B. Newton, Jr., will leave next week to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, at their home in Bolivar, Missouri.

MISS LENA MILLARD SESSIONS TO MAKE DEBUT AT OPENING BALL OF GERMAN CLUB

Mrs. Harry Sessions and her daughter, Miss Lena Millard Sessions, will move to Norfolk, December 24, and will occupy an apartment on Raleigh Avenue during the Christmas season. Miss Sessions, a student at Connecticut College for Women, in New London, will arrive December 18, and will make her debut December 23, at the opening ball of the German Club.

Mrs. Sidney Banks has returned to Richmond after spending the week-end at the Cavalier Hotel.

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James Allen Tyler was the guest
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**Cavalier Garden Club Meeting
Features Christmas Decorations**

The Cavalier Garden Club held its Christmas meeting Monday afternoon at Oakley Parish House. The meeting featured exhibits of mantels, doorways, a tea table and a side table, all decorated in the holiday motif. The awards were as follows:

Mantels—gold: Mrs. Rudolph Watson and Mrs. Kermit Robinson; blue: Mrs. Fred Haycox and Miss Chess Hardberger; red: Mrs.

William Crockett and Mrs. William Darden; red: Mrs. Frank Burleson and Mrs. Louis Gray; Side table—blue: Mrs. Frank Booker and Mrs. Baxter Sparks; Doorway—blue: Mrs. W. J. Pennington and Mrs. Walton Saunders; blue: Miss Elizabeth Bain and Miss Anne Brooke. The judges were Mrs. Floyd Dornaire, Mrs. Clinton Woodhouse and Mrs. Hardy Cole.

**Linkhorn Garden Club Plans Rose
Memorial to Miss Blanche Hill**

Mrs. M. Bagley Walker and Mrs. J. Davis Reed, Jr., of the Princess Anne Garden Club, were judges for Christmas arrangements made by members of the Linkhorn Garden Club at their regular meeting held Monday at the Princess Anne Country Club. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. James U. Goode.

A silver contribution was made by members and guests present to buy gifts for the children being entertained at the Community House.

One new member, Mrs. Robert G. Barr, Jr., was welcomed into the club.

The club voted to place a living memorial in the form of rambling roses around a portion of the playground, commemorating Miss Blanche Hill, a prominent rose grower and member of the Princess Anne Garden Club, whose recent passing marks a tremendous loss to the community and garden clubs.

Two visitors, Mrs. W. L. Renn and Mrs. John Baum, were introduced to the members.

Kibbons for arrangements were awarded as follows: blue: Mrs. Robert Lee Simpson; red: Mrs. E. F. Stone; yellow: Mrs. Robert Lee Simpson; and blue: Mrs. J. H. Proudfoot.

Following a brief business session, Mrs. John Adkins spoke on the origin of our Christmas customs and their meaning and closed with three old carols of the twelfth century. "I Saw Three Ships A-Sailing," "The Cherry Tree Carol," and "The Holly and the Ivy." Mrs. Aldridge was the accompanist. Mrs. Ellsby Hud-

gins, of Norfolk, then gave a talk on "The Legend of the Holly." Tea followed, with Mrs. William Thompson, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Dar-

den, Mrs. Haycox and Miss Hard-
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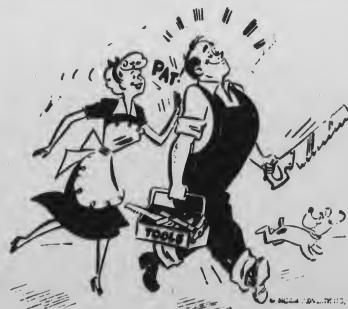
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Catherine Meeks walking about the Community House and O. H. S. with that dreamy look in her eyes? Could it be because of a certain boy?

That sporty looking gray sweater Boyd Midgett is wearing all over town? It sure is keen looking boy!

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Anne Lucas' pretty Maury letter? Hey, gal, don't you think you should have it on your sweater and not on your wall? We all think so.

The basketball team sure has sharp looking jackets; the colors are neat, too.

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Former Teen Age President Marries

Friday, December 9, our former Teen Age president, Miss Alice Wade, was married. The ceremony was witnessed by many of our teen agers, and after the marriage all wished the couple happiness. Alice was our president in 1938, and took an active part in our affairs. Many suggestions were brought to reality by Miss Wade and the club will certainly miss her. Good luck to you, Alice, and always remember when in our vicinity come around and visit us. —Teen Ager

A Letter to Santa Claus Dear Santa Claus:

I have been a very good girl and I wish you would do me a big favor. I have loads and loads of friends in Virginia Beach and most of them are teen agers. I would like very much for you to give them each a gift from me. First on my list is:

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glad to see him back. Right!!!... June R. is getting married in June... Billy O'Brien is coming home this week-end. Take it easy Connie... There's a dance at the Oceana School gym?
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2. To ratify the action of the Board of Directors approving the matters stated in paragraph No. 1 above, and to authorize the proper officers of the corporation known as the Princess Anne Country Club to cause to be executed the required deed of trust and such note or notes as may be necessary to carry out the intent and purpose of this transaction, including the authority of said officers to execute any and all other papers that may be required by the Southern Bank of Norfolk, the Lawyers Title Insurance Corporation, and the attorneys handling the legal matters involved.

3. To take action upon such other matters as may properly come before the meeting.

By direction of the President of Princess Anne Country Club
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ANNEXATION

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ferred to a special meeting, the date for which was not set.

Also deferred was a request from the Isaac Walton League through Jordan Pugh, III, asking the council to approve a proposal

to establish a "hook and line fishing preserve" between Cape Henry and Willoughby Spit, and to prohibit commercial fishing in the area.

The town engineer reported to the council that the work of rehabilitation of the seawall was completed and that the final cost was \$188,347 (the original estimate was \$188,328); that the new water tank will be completed and put in commission this week; and that the two lanes on 28th Street are to be included in the street improvement work now being

issued an invitation to the public to attend an open house and inspection of toys they have made for the Joy Fund at the Methodist Church Monday, December 19, from 4 to 8:30 p.m.

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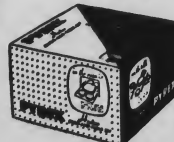
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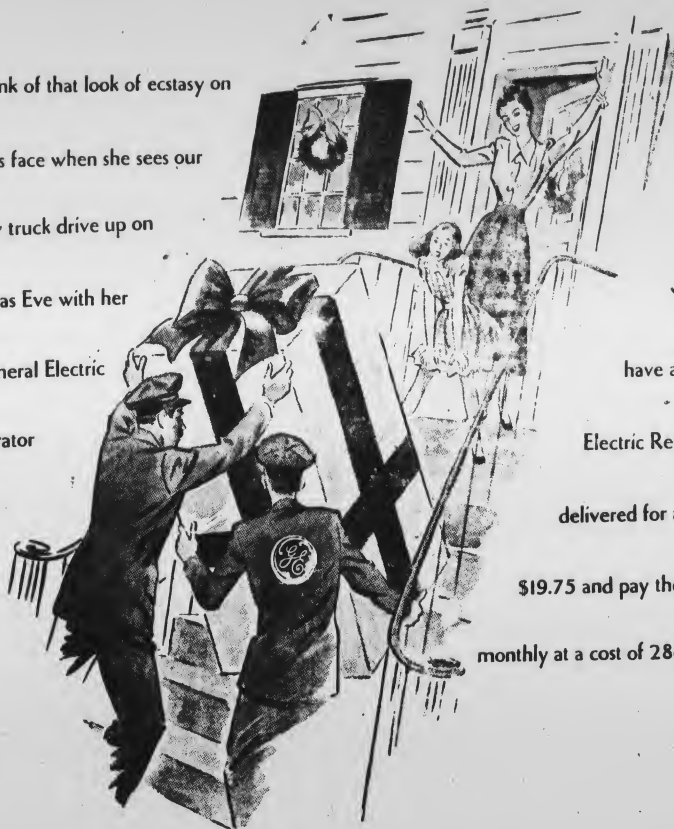
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Merry Christmas Assured for 900 Needy Persons as Joy Fund Donations Reach \$3,000 Mark

Officials Express Thanks to All Who Helped in Drive

With \$2952.70 in its coffers last night, the 1950 Joy Fund closed on a successful completion. A. W. Craft, chairman of the drive, expressed his own and other Joy Fund officers' gratitude and thanks to the public for their generous response to the needs of the less fortunate citizens of Virginia Beach and Princess Anne County.

"I believe that all of the workers who have given so generously of their time and energy to make a success of the campaign are to be congratulated, and I want to extend our thanks to them and to the public for making this year's drive a good one. Next year we will be able to do even better, for the people both at the Beach and throughout the county are interested and want to help with it another year," Mr. Craft said.

The directors of the Joy Fund met at the Presbyterian Church Monday night and carefully screened applications for Santa's visit to 874 persons—the aged, unable to work, crippled, young mothers with small children—each case a heart-rending plea.

Applications are pouring in and more money is needed. Send or bring your donations to the Virginia Beach News or the Virginia Beach Sun. They still have a long way to go in a short time!

So many of the applications ask for clothing, shoes for children, 10 months to 14 years and older. One reads: "A bedridden, needy woman 65 years old."

Don't wait, bring clothing or toys now to the Virginia Beach Fire Station, or phone Virginia Beach 585 or Norfolk 24849 and they will be called for. More toys are needed—send them in now. Toys will be repaired and clothes cleaned and repaired. Make a little heart happy and warm!

Summary: applications received, 840 people; applications approved, 518 people; deficit, 322 people; money allocated, \$2,589.00; money received, \$2,292.69; deficit, \$296.31.

86 certificates were approved and will be mailed to families having children under ten years. These certificates are to be taken to "Bubba's" Toy Center, 209 17th Street, Virginia Beach, where selection can be made of toys and clothing suitable for each case as required. These certificates must be presented before any toys or clothing can be selected. In addition 18 certificates for fuel were approved and the families will give these certificates to the delivery men where the fuel is delivered.

PATRICIA WOODY HOME FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Patricia Woody, ward of the Rev. R. P. Davis, is at home for the Christmas holidays. Miss Woody is a student at Montreat College, Montreat, N. C. She will return there January 9, to resume her studies.

CONTRIBUTORS TO JOY FUND

Total from Last Week	\$307.33
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News Office Will Be Closed Next Week

There will be no Virginia Beach News next week.

The offices will be closed all week long for the annual inventory, so look for your next News on Friday, January 5, 1950.

In the meantime, to all of our readers, a Merry Christmas and the best of everything for a Happy New Year.



EARLY VISIT—Santa Claus, chauffeured by Mrs. Albin Mathies, visited Little Delores Wideman, 8 years old, of Seastack, recently. The Junior Woman's Club sponsored Santa's visits to little sick children in the town and county. (Boice Photo)

ANNEXATION: Questions Answered

With annexation next to Christmas as the chief topic of conversation at the Beach and in the county these days, the Virginia Beach News formulated a list of 16 pertinent questions concerning the topic, and presented them to Town Manager Lawrence Lockwood for his answers.

Other questions will be answered at the open meeting of citizens on the subject which is to be held at the Willoughby T. Cooke School auditorium on Tuesday, December 27, at 8 p.m. Interested citizens urged to attend, and to put their questions to the town officials who will be on hand, along with a representative of the engineering firm which made a survey of the territory proposed for annexation.

The News' questions and Mr. Lockwood's answers follow:

1. What is the 1949 combined county and town tax rate on Virginia Beach real estate and personal property? Answer: \$3.75 per \$100 of assessed value. Of the \$3.75 combined rate, .60c is the county general fund rate.

2. What is the 1949 county tax rate in the annexation area? Answer: \$5.05 per \$100 of assessed value.

3. What basis is now being used to determine assessed valuations in the Town of Virginia Beach? Answer: Properties are said to be assessed at approximately 20% of current value.

4. What basis is now being used to determine assessed valuations in the annexation area? Answer: Properties are said to be assessed at approximately 10% of current value.

5. What will be the approximate assessed valuation of realty and personal property in Virginia Beach and the annexation area as of January 1, 1951? Answer:

	Virginia Beach	Annexation Area	Total
Realty	\$8,723,545	\$1,459,586	\$10,183,131
Personal Property	879,535	325,900	1,205,435

Total \$9,603,100 \$1,784,566 \$11,387,666

These figures do not include properties of public service corporations which are assessed at approximately 40% of current value by the State Corporation Commission.

6. Assuming assessments of realty and personal property in Virginia Beach are substantially correct in relation to current value, what will the approximate market value of such property in Virginia Beach be as of January 1, 1951? Answer: Approximately five times \$9,603,100 or \$48,015,500. In the annexation area? Answer: approximately ten times \$1,784,566 or \$17,845,660. This would be a total market value of \$65,861,160.

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Dividend Declared By Federal Savings, Loan Association

Approximately \$11,000 will be distributed to shareholders of the Virginia Beach Federal Savings and Loan Association on January 1. This sum represents the regular semi-annual dividend of 1 1/2 per cent for the six month period and was approved by the directors at their December meeting. The holders of Investment Certificates will receive their checks by mail and savings account members will have theirs credited to their accounts.

While local building has slackened off some from the wartime peak, the volume of residential properties under construction continues at a lively rate. During the last year the association has made approximately sixty new loans for a total of \$200,000.

The Beach Association is a member of the Federal Home Loan Bank System, the Virginia Savings, Building and Loan League, the United States Savings and Loan League and its members' accounts are insured against loss up to \$5,000.

Officers and directors of the Virginia Beach Federal are Roy Kellam, president; R. E. Kellam, vice president; F. B. Taylor, vice president; W. H. Terry, Jr., secretary-treasurer; P. W. Ackles, C. R. Farrant, Dr. W. L. Taylor, C. T. Whitehead and William F. Ingdins, directors, and Miss Mary Ingdins, assistant secretary.

Santa Claus Visits Fort Story Party; Comes by "Duck"

Riding in Army transportation a seagull DUWE. Santa Claus was pulled in from the Atlantic Ocean and landed on the beach at Fort Story at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, December 22, and was greeted on shore by more than 100 eager youngsters, the children of military and civilian personnel stationed at Fort Story, and their parents.

Shortly after the beginning of the annual Christmas party in the non-com club a telegram came for the commanding officer, Lt. Col. E. Z. Hemphel, announcing that Santa would arrive by "duck" at approximately 2:30 p.m. A watch was stationed and the party went on.

At 2:30 p.m. arrived that Santa Claus, dressed in his traditional red suit and hat, and no time was lost in coming a welcome party.

Santa was much pleased with his reception, and even more pleased by the balm of Virginia weather. He reported blizzards could be felt in the North Pole.

Following presentation of gifts and treats, he had to take off again to meet his very strenuous schedule elsewhere.

The children and their guests, led to the theatre where a play was shown.

Supervisors Ask that Third Referendum Be Held on Bond Issue to Build School

Girl Scouts Use Ingenuity to Make Christmas Items

Girls Do Good Job In Helping to Spread Christmas Cheer

Remembering that a Girl Scout's duty is to be useful and help others, with perhaps a little paint smeared on their hands and even faces, a little extra glue on their Girl Scout uniforms, the Brownie, Intermediate, and Senior Scouts of Princess Anne County and their leaders have been as busy as beavers helping Santa get ready for Christmas.

Several Princess Anne troops have made attractive tray favors consisting of match boxes dipped in paint, colorful place mats for trays, miniature Christmas trees and angels and crepe paper dolls. These will be distributed to the Virginia Beach hospital and also the Home for Elderly People at the Waterworks.

One troop is also going to decorate a tree at the hospital. Each patrol of one Brownie Troop cut out magazine pictures and pasted them in two cloth scrapbooks, a red one and a green one. These will be sent to a hospital's children's ward.

Some troops have gathered their own pine cones and berries to make their own decorations. In keeping with the Scout law "A Girl Scout is thrifty."

One troop bought and dressed 18 dolls and donated many other toys to the Joy Fund. A portable sewing machine was brought to troop meetings, where the girls busied themselves with the dolls' wardrobes.

Still another troop studied the types of food that birds like, and at troop meeting one day they dressed a tree with the birds' special fare outside the window of a convalescent to brighten her long day as she watched the birds feeding.

All in all, it has been a busy season, and the Girl Scouts wish to thank everyone for their interest and cooperation during the past year.

Troop 61 to Meet With Troop 60

Troop 61; Boy Scouts, formerly of Fort Story, will meet, beginning December 23, with Troop 60 of Virginia Beach, at their meeting place on 32nd Street. This arrangement will continue until a new sponsoring organization can be found. At that time, there will be two troops at Virginia Beach.

Troop 60 is sponsored by the Presbyterian Men's Club, and W. K. MacDonald is Scout Master.

School Board Asks Action be Taken as Soon As Possible; Ordinance on Trailer Camp License Tax Revised; Garbage Contract Let

The Princess Anne County Board of Supervisors will petition the Judge of the Circuit Court to set a date for a referendum to decide whether \$250,000 of bonds will be sold to construct a Negro consolidated elementary school near Seastack.

Howard S. Myers Appointed Beach Postmaster

The appointment of Howard S. Myers, employment service official, of Virginia Beach, as acting Postmaster of Virginia Beach, was announced on Tuesday by Postmaster General J. M. Donaldson.

Myers, who resides at 318 25th Street, has been managing the local office of the Virginia State Employment Service of the Virginia Unemployment Compensation Commission. During World War II, he was affiliated with the United States Employment Service.

He was appointed to fill the vacancy created by the death of W. M. Moss, former postmaster. The appointment, dated December 16, was granted on the recommendation of Representative Porter Hardy, Jr., Assistant Postmaster Roy Jackson has been heading up the post office during the interval between Mr. Moss' death and the appointment of Mr. Myers.

Mr. Myers has been a resident of Virginia Beach since 1933. He is a past commander of Princess Anne County Post No. 113, American Legion, currently serving as its service officer.

He is a member of the Lions Club, the Presbyterian Men's Club and the Edward M. Hardy Bible Class.

Town-County Officials To Observe Holidays

Town and county officials are going to have a little Christmas vacation, anyway.

The offices of the Town Hall will be closed all day Saturday, December 24, and Saturday, December 31, according to an announcement by R. A. Jones, for the town council. The town's offices will also be closed on Monday after Christmas and the Monday after New Year's day.

The offices at Princess Anne Court House announce that they will be closed on Saturday before Christmas, also. Beyond that, no announcement has yet been made.

Tickets Available for Shrine Club Dance

A limited supply of tickets for the Shrine Club's first New Year's dance are still available, according to an announcement by the management.

The dance, which begins at 10 p.m. and lasts until 2 p.m., is open to the public. A midnight breakfast will be served.

The supervisors, acting in conjunction with the school board, said that the elementary school for Negro children would be the first step in a long-range program which calls for three such consolidated schools. It would serve the area now served by the Seastack, Oceana, Great Neck, and the Lynnhaven area schools, although the latter was closed some four years ago and the children transported to Kempsville.

John B. Dey, chairman of the school board, and Frank Cox, superintendent of schools, told the supervisors that the school board believes that it is "expedient to take action speedily." They explained that since the defeat of two referendums in the last two years for \$250,000 for the construction of a Negro high school that \$80,000 had been spent for the addition of four classrooms, a lunch room, and lavatory facilities at the present school, the Euclid Training School, and that the board deemed that the elementary school need was more pressing at this time. Mr. Cox asserted, however, that the present enlargement of the Euclid School was not the final action with regard to the high school.

The Seastack location was chosen since it is a center of Negro population in the county as well as for the fact that the need is greater there than elsewhere at the present time.

Ordinance Revised

The board heard a delegation of trailer camp operators headed up by A. L. Simpson and Harry Kanter, their attorney, concerning the passage of an ordinance requiring a \$24 license for each used trailer space in trailer camps. The board, after hearing the group, acted to lower the license fee from \$24 to \$15.

The delegation described the proposed ordinance as being discriminatory.

Garbage Contract Let

The contract for the collection of trash and garbage in the Kempsville and Lynnhaven districts was let to R. W. Meers for \$30,000 for two years. Trash is to be collected in tarpaulin-covered trucks twice a week during the winter months, and three times weekly during the summer. Mr. Meers held the contract during 1949.

Mosquito Survey

A resolution was passed requesting Representative Harry B. Davis to seek an appropriation from the State Assembly to make a topographical survey of the Seashore State Park looking forward to the draining of swampy areas of the park as a method of mosquito control. The survey would supplement an aerial survey just completed by the Army engineers of the area. Mr. Davis will work in conjunction with R. E. Dorner, who is a representative of the U. S. Public Health Service, on the scope of the survey desired.

Harper Equipment Co. in New Hands

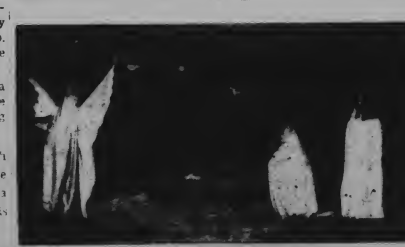
R. W. Andermann and Mrs. Andermann have purchased the Harper Equipment Company on 17th Street, and have taken over the management of the firm.

The Andermanns plan to add a complete gardening line, with expert advice for the many local gardeners, as well as soil analysis service and other services to add them.

After rearrangement of stock and addition to shelves and other conveniences, the Andermanns plan a contest to be announced later for the re-naming of the store.



THESE WARNING—Don't let this happen to your car this holiday season. Take care of your car now. (Boice Photo)



NATIVITY SCENE—The Junior Chamber of Commerce has erected this effective and lovely nativity scene again this year in the yard of the Coast Guard Station at 24th Street to bring the Christmas message to all. From left to right: Members Charles Williams, in charge of the action, Maurie Simmons, scenery, Owen Moore, James Fricker, John Tucker, Louis Gay, Samuel Smith, and Frank Whitehead. (Boice Photo)

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GREETINGS

This is the traditional season of good cheer, of peace on earth, good will to men.

The Virginia Beach News, following the spirit of good will, wishes our fellow men well. We wish for them full understanding and forgiveness of the foibles and shortcomings of others. We want them to share in the good things of this good earth, and to have those good things in abundance. We hope that joy will be theirs in copious quantities, and that all of their undertakings will be successful.

We wish for all health, happiness, prosperity, and above all, peace. In short, to one and all—Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

JOY FUND

The Joy Fund this year struggled up from near failure last week to near-success at this time. The money, tries, clothing came in slowly... interest was low or nonexistent.

But due to the unstinting efforts of a few, the Joy Fund will accomplish its purpose again this year. Those few deserve a lot of credit, and the townspeople should be proud of them and what they have accomplished.

To the Joy Fund Officers for organizing and getting the drive under way goes special credit. Those officers have worked unceasingly and have spared themselves little to make a success of the drive for funds to bring joy to our needy neighbors. These officers are: A. V. Craft, A. C. Feil, E. C. Baker, Ray Cassett, John Bradburne, E. B. Bayne, and Mrs. Marvin Wolf.

These seven have been aided by others in the work. Chief Bayne and the firemen have painted and repaired innumerable toys to bring joy to little hearts on Christmas day; Troop 200 of the Girl Scouts, and their leaders, Mrs. Glen Dill and Mrs. Louis Dickens, Jr., bought dolls and outfitted them completely and furnished them with doll beds, all for the joy of less fortunate small girls; one little child turned in her savings (hoarded in an old biscuit tin) of pennies, nickels, and dimes; personnel at the NAAS gave a smoker to raise funds for the Joy Fund; 4-H girls and women's groups throughout the county have mended dolls and made dresses and clothing so no little mother would have empty arms on Christmas day.

These weren't all. Mrs. Ira Silverman gave her time to the much needed and heart-breaking job of investigating the cases turned in to the Fund as being in need of help; Mrs. Willard Washburn, of the News staff, took on the job of keeping the money contributions straight and credited to the right people before the money went finally to the Fund.

"Woody" Seamans turned into a one-man canvassing operation, and when it looked as if the money wouldn't be sufficient, he went out and collected \$500 in a little more than one day for the Fund.

These people, and all others who aided, deserve an extra measure of Christmas joy, as do all these good people who contributed to make the Joy Fund possible.

LOOKING BACK

TWENTY-ONE YEARS AGO—DECEMBER 7-14, 1928

A banner headline in the Weekly of December 21, 1928, proclaimed: "A Merry Christmas to the Subscribers, Advertisers and Friends of the Virginia Beach Weekly."

Times don't change much. An article, headed "Large Selection of Xmas Gifts Stocked by Local Merchants," made the following suggestions for Christmas presents: "For the kids there are skates, dolls, 'choo-choos', miniature wagons, animals, scooters, and all manner of wonders. For the older folks there are hose, scarfs, ties, all sorts of smokers' supplies in fancy Christmas boxes, stationery, books, toilet articles, and electrical goods." Sounds like a familiar gift list, doesn't it?

The society and personal columns were full of children and friends returning to Virginia Beach to spend the holidays. Ernest Woodward was spending the Christmas holiday with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Dodson, Jr., in Sea Pines; Miss Doris Anderson, a student at the State Teacher's College, was spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, on 27th Street; William Jarvis and William Lipscomb were home from the University of Virginia; Miss 'Gallie' Barron, a student of Hamilton, Merry Christmas.

College, Lexington, Ky., was visiting with her parents, Senator and Mrs. James Barron; Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Julian B. Timberlake, Jr., and son, Julian B. Timberlake, III, of Annapolis, Md., arrived Sunday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Timberlake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Jordan; Misses Katherine and Henrietta Garrett, of Blackstone College for Girls were home; Albert Lee Barco, of Huntington, W. Va., was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barco at their home on 26th Street; John Callenbach, of Wisconsin University, was spending some time with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Callenbach, on 26th Street; Harriet is Witt, of State Teachers College, and Caroline de Witt, of William and Mary College, were to spend the Christmas season with their family at their home on Ocean Avenue;

John Smith, a student at Oak Ridge Military Academy, was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith at the Marguerite cottage; Russell Hatchett, of Norfolk, was spending the holidays with his wife and little daughter, Marstelle Hatchett, who were visiting Mrs. Hatchett's parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Ma-steler.

All in all, it looked like a very Merry Christmas.

Home Demonstration Club News

State Horticultural Visits Landscaping Project

The Home Demonstration Club in the Blackwater Community has accepted as a community project the landscaping of the grounds of the Blackwater Baptist Church. Members of the church and other citizens in the community will assist with the carrying out of the project.

Albert S. Beecher, state horticulturist, visited the project last Friday to go over the planting plan with a group of community leaders. The plan was recently drawn by John Baum and Mr. Beecher, and includes such native shrubs as holly, dogwood, pine and azaleas.

The planting will not be undertaken until walks, driveways, and parking space has been established.

The church has recently been renovated. The painted floor was refreshed to look like new; walls painted; stained glass windows repaired; and a modern pulpit built. The addition of oil heat makes the building more comfortable.

Kempville Club Elects Officers

At a meeting at the home of Mrs. George Cullipher, on Kempville Road, last Tuesday, the officers for the ensuing year for the Kempville Road Home Demonstration Club were elected as follows: Mrs. T. S. Barnard, president; Mrs. R. V. Parron, vice president; and Mrs. A. D. Thompson, secretary and treasurer.

The club had held two previous meetings, and the organization brought the total number of organized clubs in the county to thirteen.

A beautiful demonstration on "Table Service" was given by the leaders, Mrs. T. S. Barnard and Mrs. E. Trammell.

Cooking Christmas Turkeys

Laboratory tests show that large turkeys, weighing 10 pounds or more, may be cooked in less time by increasing the temperature to 300 or 325 degrees and allow from 20 to 25 minutes per pound cooking time. Either large or small birds may be cooked at this temperature. Place on rack in low, open pan.

Since the temperature is so important, be careful to note the accuracy of your regulator or thermometer. Too much heat causes meat to be tough and dry.

Samaritan Closet Started

The Sunnyside Homemakers' Club, on the Indian River Road

is starting a Good Samaritan Closet, according to Mrs. C. F. Thompson, of that club. Mrs. Thompson explained that the closet will consist of hard-to-get items needed in a sick room or

for convalescents. One item needed in particular is a wheel chair; another crutches, etc.

The club hopes to be able to collect the things for the closet so that they can be loaned out to help those who are ill or convalescing. Contributions for the closet will be welcomed.

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"They share your love for the chimneys and the carols, including local talent, and Tiny Tim and all the other garnishings. But more than anything else they like the spirit of it . . . the good healthy business of thinking about other people in the midst of a world that's too much with us. That's the spirit that makes every Vepcovian stop right in the middle of their kilowatt-to-say-to-one-and-all:

"merry, merry Christmas!"

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY

CCC Encourages Construction Of Grain Storage Facilities

Details of a Commodity Credit Corporation program to encourage construction of commercial warehouse facilities for the storage of grain in areas where such storage is inadequate were announced recently by R. B. Bridgforth, State committee chairman of the Production and Marketing Administration. Under the program the CCC will enter into storage agreements with cooperative associations and other commercial warehousing agencies, guaranteeing use of 75 per cent of the new storage capacity for a period of three years in completely new storage structures, and for a period of two years in new additions to existing storage structures.

Bridgforth noted that CCC will not finance grain elevator construction. However, he did state that the Bank of Cooperatives (Farm Credit Administration) has announced that it is authorized to finance up to 80 per cent of the cost of construction of new storage facilities built by cooperatives which have received a commitment under this program.

Storage occupancy agreements with both cooperatives and other commercial warehousemen will provide that 75 per cent of the storage capacity be reserved for grain which may be tendered by CCC or by farmers for storage for their account. The rates in effect under the Uniform Grain Storage Agreement of CCC will be paid for grain stored in these facilities by CCC. If less than 75 per cent of the facility is used, the CCC will pay 10 cents a bushel for the first year, 8 cents for the second, and 6 cents for the third, for the

unused portion of the 75 per cent of capacity. This is less than the amount paid for grain storage because of the savings in insurance, handling, and labor charges when storage space is not filled.

Department officials stated that storage near the point of production was desired and country elevator construction with suitable



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New Style Cranberry Sauce for Holidays

Cranberry sauce with turkey? Of course. But for a new look and a new taste, try this easy cran-

berry relish that improves in flavor or when made ahead of time and allowed to mellow in the refrigerator.

To make, open a can of cranberry sauce—the whole kind—and empty into a porcelain enameled refrigerator dish. Crush with a fork and mix in one-half cup

drained crushed pineapple and one-half cup chopped nut meats. Add just a dash of powdered ginger. Mix right in the enameled pan. Cover the pan and store in the refrigerator overnight so the good fruit flavors have a chance to blend. Serve with turkey, ham or pot roast.

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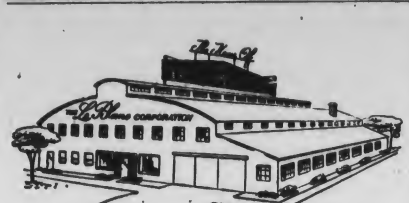
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The LeBlanc Corp. has purchased a \$250,000 steel and concrete building with 35,000 square feet of floor space in Lafayette, La., and will remodel it at a cost of more than \$50,000 for the national headquarters of Hadacol, famous B vitamins and mineral preparation.

Judley J. LeBlanc, Founder and President of the LeBlanc Corp., announced the purchase of the building. The small building which now houses the Hadacol factory will be converted into a garage for the fleet of Hadacol trucks and for storage space. The office headquarters of Hadacol, which now occupy a building in downtown Lafayette, will be moved to the new building.

The new Hadacol building was built in 1945 and is of excellent construction. Remodeling work already has begun and the LeBlanc Corp. plans to move into the new headquarters early next year. Mr. LeBlanc and officials of his organization already have working plans for a gala opening of the new headquarters.

The office and manufacturing facilities will be modernized, and will have many other features. "It is just an upward step in the remarkable progress of Hadacol,"

Hadacol Helps Textile Workers Stay On The Job

The great textile mills of the Carolinas are booming again with shifts working day and night to turn out the nation's finest materials, and HADACOL is doing its part to keep the job folks on the job.

Many textile workers have reported the wonderful relief which has been brought them by HADACOL with five B vitamins and four important minerals. Two of these workers, a young father employed by the great Cannon Mills at Kannapolis, N.C., and a mother, working at a mill in nearby Salisbury, N.C., recently told how HADACOL helped keep them on the job.

Ray W. Barnhardt, 34, is 30 years old Mr. Barnhardt and the proud father of two children. His work in the Cannon Mills calls for a great deal of standing up.

"I had been ill for several years," said Mr. Barnhardt as he explained how close he came to resigning the weight I had lost," said Mr. Barnhardt. "My digestion became normal again and I feel as well as ever. My legs no longer bother me. I eat and enjoy my food. I sleep well and have plenty of energy."

Mr. Barnhardt has taken several bottles of HADACOL and now takes the famous vitamin and mineral preparation to help stay well. He has had his wife take it with wonderful results and has recommended it to his friends in the mill.

Mrs. Maggie H. Poole, 1503 Caroline Avenue, in Salisbury, N.C., had become so ill that she was forced to give up her work but soon after hearing the wonderful news about HADACOL she was back on the job and has been doing well ever since.

"I was tired, weak and nervous," said Mrs. Poole. "I suffered from indigestion and food didn't agree with me. I also had headaches. After taking five bottles of HADACOL I felt good and was back on the job at the mill. I had tried so many things that the HADACOL news was a real blessing to me. I have more appetite and eat what I want to. I feel better than I have in a long time."

Mr. Barnhardt and Mrs. Poole were both suffering from a lack of B vitamins and the minerals which HADACOL contains. HADACOL comes to you in liquid form easily assimilated in the blood stream so that it can go to work right away.

A lack of only a small amount of B vitamins and certain minerals will cause digestive disturbances . . . Your food will not agree with you . . . You will have an upset stomach. You will suffer from heartburn, gas pains and your food will sour on your stomach and you will not be able to eat the things you like for fear of being in misery afterwards. Many people also suffer from constipation. And while these symptoms may be the results of other causes, they are surely certainly the signs of lack of B vitamins and minerals which HADACOL contains. And if you suffer from such a deficiency disorder, there is no known cure except the administration of the vitamins and mineral which your system lacks.

It is easy to understand, therefore, why countless thousands have been benefited by this amazing tonic, HADACOL.

So it matters not how old you are or who you are . . . it matters not where you live or if you have tried all the medicines under the sun, give this wonderful preparation HADACOL a trial. Don't go on suffering. Don't continue to lead a miserable life. Many persons who have suffered and waited for 10 to 20 years or even longer, are able now to live happy, comfortable lives because HADACOL supplied the vitamins and minerals which their systems needed. Be fair to yourself. Temporary relief is not enough for you. Give HADACOL a trial! Insist on the genuine HADACOL. Don't be misled. Accept no substitute.

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ANNEXATION: QUESTIONS - ANSWERS

(Continued from Front Page)

net value of approximately \$45,000,000 without including public service corporation properties.

7. Assuming Virginia Beach should be successful in its annexation program as of January 1, 1951, and the Town Manager's plans for building a high school with junior and senior departments, doubling the capacity of the sewage disposal plant, replacing inadequate sewers in the populated parts of Virginia Beach, extending the sewerage system to the thickly populated parts of Virginia Beach and sewerage the area from Avenue D to Fort Story should be carried out, what will be the approximate bonded debt of Virginia Beach after the completion of the program?

Answer: Approximately \$12,575,000 which will include, in addition to town bonds previously issued, \$1,510,000 revenue bonds for sewerage system improvements, \$600,000 of general obligation bonds for school improvements, and \$965,000 of Princess Anne County bonds chargeable against the annexation area. This projected indebtedness of \$2,575,000 will represent only about 4 1/3% of the total estimated market value of properties in Virginia Beach and the annexation area as of January 1, 1951.

8. How much will Virginia Beach taxpayers pay the County General Fund in 1949 compared with 1948? Answer: Approximately \$53,000 for 1949 compared with \$55,000 for 1948.

9. How much does Princess Anne County now pay the Town of Virginia Beach for fire protection in the area immediately adjacent to Virginia Beach? Answer: \$9,000 for the year ending June 30, 1950 compared to \$2,500 annually prior to July 1, 1949. In addition, the county has agreed to pay the Town for 23 fire hydrants at the rate of \$370 each which are to be installed by the town and \$25.00 per hydrant per year for flushing, painting and repairing same.

10. How much real estate tax does the owner of a house and lot worth approximately \$10,000 now pay to the Town of Virginia Beach and the county? Answer: In Virginia Beach, the house and lot should be assessed at \$2,000 and the annual town and county tax bill at the current \$3.75 rate would be \$75.00. In the annexation area a comparable piece of property should be assessed at \$1,000 under the present system of assessing, the current rate is \$3.00 and the 1949 tax would amount to \$30.00.

11. Can the annexation program as outlined by the Town Manager be carried out without increasing taxes on real estate and personal property? Answer: It is my considered opinion that the program can be completed without any increase in real estate and personal property taxes to the property owners of Virginia Beach at any time in the foreseeable future and with no increase in the annexation area until 1952 by which time the property in the annexation area should be assessed on the same basis as Virginia Beach property. This will mean a small increase in taxes in the annexation area in 1952 but it will be insignificant compared to the improvements in facilities and services which will have been made available to said area prior to 1952.

12. What part of the year-around population of Virginia Beach is now served by the town's sewerage system? Answer: Approximately 80% of the total population. This will increase to more than 90% of total population if planned expansion of this service is consummated.

13. What is the colored school population of the Town of Virginia Beach? Answer: 17 elementary school pupils and 5 high school pupils.

14. What is the colored school population of the annexation area? Answer: None.

15. If annexation is consummated as of January 1, 1951, do you believe Virginia Beach will then be eligible for classification as a city of the first class? Answer: Yes. I believe the town now has a population of more than 6,000. The annexation area has more than 3,000. The completion of the Mayflower and Ocean Lakes apartment projects, together with many planned new residences in both Virginia Beach and the annexation area will result in at least 1,500 more residents, thus giving us a total population in excess of 10,000.

16. Are there, in your opinion, any sound arguments against annexation? Answer: I can think of none. On the other hand, Virginia Beach as a city of the first class would be in a position to "run its own show" for the first time in its history. Its prestige throughout the United States would be greatly increased, and the value of every parcel of real estate and every business in Virginia Beach and the annexation area would be enhanced. I feel very strongly that any citizen of Virginia Beach who opposes annexation now should be viewed by his fellow citizens as one who not only is opposed to the best interests of Virginia Beach but his own best interests.

Bird Neck Garden Club Members Hear Mr. Bonney

George Bonney, president of the Tidewater Rose Growers Association, and an honorary member of the American Federation of Garden Clubs, was the principal speaker at the meeting of the Bird Neck Garden Club which met last week at the home of Mrs. Griffin Deal.

Mr. Bonney showed colored slides of outstanding local gardens with informative commentary, and spoke on the preparation and planting of spring gardens.

The club will provide a Christmas basket for a needy local family, with food, clothing and toys.

Place of the next meeting will be announced at a later date.

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Here are the steps which General Electric lighting specialists followed in creating the attractive arrangement in the picture.

First, make your sunburst box by placing a 10-watt clear bulb (S-11 in an intermediate socket with extension cord) in a cardboard box about 5 1/2 x 7 x 7. Line the box with black paper for a sharp shadow effect. Tip the box at an angle and place it on the window seat or, if your sill is narrow, on a small table. Then, paste 13 wedge-shaped strips of cardboard

over the top of the box. The secret of clear cut light beams, say General Electric specialists, is to place the socket in a horizontal position at the far end of the box.

Next, place an 18-inch artificial Christmas tree on the sill or table in front of the sunburst box. Then, arrange a string of candle-type tree lights (in sockets) in an upright position around the edge of the table.

Fashion paper reflectors of cardboard as shown in the upper right of the sketch. These reflectors control the light and confine it directly on the small tree. Notice how the reflectors are camouflaged by dark green Christmas tree cut-outs.

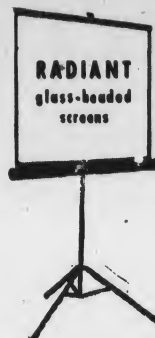
Complete the arrangement with a spray of greens and bright tree balls at the center top of the window.

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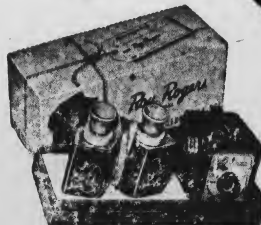
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The second annual Christmas Tour of Homes of the Virginia Beach Garden Club was an unqualified success, according to club members, and drew interested persons from Norfolk, Suffolk, and other nearby areas.

The Taylor Johnson home on the Ocean Front won three gold ribbons, five blue, and three red for outstanding arrangements. The first gold ribbon went to Mrs. Preston Hix for her mantel arrangement, which featured graduated gold candles, surrounded with clusters of fruit, on either end of a long gold centerpiece, filled with fruits and highlighted with gold. Mrs. Hix won a second gold ribbon for her arrangement of a Christmas compote on an occasional table in the drawing room, with crystal candlesticks, agave leaves, Chinese evergreen and white chrysanthemums.

The third gold ribbon at the Johnson home went to Mrs. Nathan Bundy for her banquet table, set for ten.

Club members who had arrangements at the Johnson home, in addition to Mrs. Hix and Mrs. Bundy, were Mrs. Alfred Van Patten, Mrs. Walter Maher, Mrs. Robert Davis, Mrs. Hunter Phelan, Mrs. Charles Slingshuff, and Mrs. Lawrence Tucker.

Two blue and four red ribbons were won at the Clinton Woodhouse home in Linkhorn Park by Mrs. Woodhouse, Mrs. R. B. Taylor, Mrs. Gordon Tyler, Mrs. Warfield Leeke, and Mrs. Goodenow Tyler. Outstanding was an old-fashioned nosegay which decorated the white front door. It was made of agave leaves and cranberries tied with red ribbons. Mrs. Hardy Cole, Mrs. James Bridges, Mrs. Carl Forsberg, and Mrs. Floyd Dornier were responsible for arrangements at Mrs. Dornier's home on 53rd Street, which won three blue and two red ribbons.

Two more gold ribbons were awarded at the home of Mrs. Sidney S. Kellam, where Mrs. Kellam, Mrs. James Bell, Mrs. R. L.



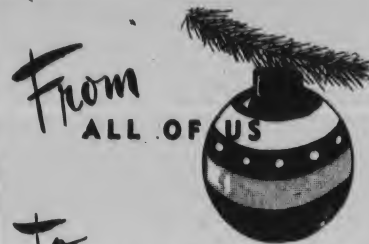
TOUR OF HOMES—Mrs. David Shelbourne is shown with an attractive Christmas arrangement which was one of many which assured the success of the Virginia Beach Garden Club's annual Christmas Tour of Homes. (Photo by Snider, courtesy of the Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch)

Miles, Mrs. Irvine Jordan, Mrs. Emmett Kyle, and Mrs. Willard Ashburn arranged Christmas decorations. Mrs. Kyle's Mexican madonna, an unusual and original piece showing the madonna on a round, brown wooden plaque surrounded by shortleaf pine, with a large wooden salad bowl for a background, was awarded one gold ribbon, while Mrs. Ashburn and Mrs. Bell displayed a mantel arrangement of a gold madonna surrounded by gilded magnolia leaves.	100.00
Mrs. Henry Lewis, Mrs. James Paige, Mrs. David Shelbourne, Mrs. David Pender, Jr., and Mrs. A. L. Turnbull won four red ribbons at the Lewis home, and at the home of Mrs. Peyton May, in Bay Colony, four blues and two reds went to Mrs. A. T. Wood, Mrs. Seiden Grandy, Mrs. Frank George, Jr., Mrs. Landon Elliland, and Mrs. May.	10.00
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Scout News

Troop 201 has been busy this month with preparations for Christmas. Late in November, we started our annual sale of Christmas cards under the approved Girl Scout plan and through the sale of a required amount were able to have the "American Girl" sent to four of our members. Helping the Red Cross, we collected canned food for a family of needy people in the county.

We were hostesses Thursday, December 22, at a Christmas silver tea at the home of Mrs. Maurice McKenney, in Oceana, and had our mothers as our guests. Mrs. E. R. Rumble, Miss Eva Mae Nee, Mrs. M. C. Butt, Mrs. H. M. Macon, and Mrs. Emmett Kyle were also included as our guests.

Each one of us will receive our hostess badge in January, as we have now completed all the requirements. Tonight we are going carolling in Oceana to persons who are shut-ins, or convalescents, and also give wreaths which we made at our last meeting. After singing carols, Mrs. William Smith, of Bird Neck Point, has invited us to her home for hot chocolate and doughnuts.

Troop 201 takes this opportunity to wish everyone a Very Merry Christmas.

CHESAPEAKE BEACH WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS LUNCHEON MEETING

The Chesapeake Beach Woman's Club held its regular luncheon meeting Tuesday, December 13, at 1 p.m., at the Chesapeake Beach Community House. Rev. P. Rowland Wagner, minister of the Central Baptist Church, Norfolk, was principal speaker. The American Home department, of which Mrs. R. G. Hines is chairman, arranged the program. Luncheon hostesses were Mrs. C. G. Faison, Mrs. R. M. Clifton, Mrs. C. M. Hall, and Mrs. W. M. Harris.

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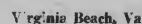
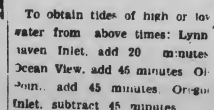
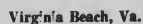
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LOST—1949 10-K. gold class ring with the initials W. B. inside, and also a green birthstone ring. Both rings were tied in a large man's white handkerchief. Finder kindly notify Mrs. L. C. Northern. Telephone 1418-J. 12-23-31a

Puppet Show Delights Audience of Children

Two performances of Mrs. Carey Bresnan's puppet show, "Peter and the Wolf," sponsored by the Little Theatre, were presented last week before a delighted audience of 135 children at the Community House.

Santa Claus was there to present gifts to the young guests. Besides the donors formerly mentioned, Mrs. R. F. Trant, M. S. Lewis Throm, Mrs. Eulie C. Van Buskirk, and Mrs. Claude Bell helped provide Santa Claus with presents for each child.



HOLIDAY SEASON

Churches to Hold Special Services Featuring Traditional Music

Traditional services of worship will take place at Christmastime at the churches of Princess Anne County and Virginia Beach.

For the most part, the evening services on Sunday night will not be held. In many, the traditional Christmas eve night service will be held, some at 11 p.m., others at midnight.

Programs of worship that have come into the News office follow:

First Presbyterian

The Presbyterian Church will hold the traditional candle light Christmas Eve Service at 11 p.m. in the sanctuary of the church. The entire church will be decorated with poinsettias, evergreens and candles. The soloist for the service will be Mrs. Thomas C. Davies, who will sing "The Christmas Candle," by Warren, and the choir will sing "Joseph, Tender Joseph Mine," by Dickinson. Many of the familiar carols will be sung by the congregation.

The church school will hold its Christmas pageant and party on Friday evening at 7:15 in the Fellowship Hall. The program is being directed by Mrs. L. Hope Ansell.

The Sunday service for the church school will be held in Christmas Day at 9:45 a.m. with "The Story of Christmas" in each department. At the morning worship service at 11 a.m., the Rev. Mr. Davis will speak on "The Joint Celebration—Christmas and Easter," and the choir will sing "The Hallelujah Chorus," by Handel.

It is fitting and proper that everyone go to worship on the birthday of the King—Christmas.

Galilee Episcopal

Friday, December 23, 4 p.m., children's Christmas party at the Old Parish House, with Puppet Show and Christmas Tree.

Saturday, December 24, 11:13 p.m., Christmas Eve Carol Service and Holy Communion.

Sunday, Christmas Day: 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon, with Christmas hymns.

Both the junior-senior and the nursery-primary departments of the Sunday school will meet at

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And praise His holy name and nothing more?
Or is that adulation but a door
Thru which a man should rise above
The baser things of life? And hand in glove
Beside his fellow man, in truth implore
That each judge not the other, and restore
Deep faith; and then unfurl the peaceful dove.
If only man to man would brothers be,
They'd work and strive to help each other live
To eat the fruit of joy and all that's good.
If nation dealt with nation honestly,
All wars would cease. To all, then He would give
A gift of peace, good will, and Brotherhood.

being held tonight at the Civic Hall at 7:30 p.m. for the Sunday school.

Last night, the church presented a pageant at the church, with the offering going to the Fund for Aged Ministers.

Eastern Shore Chapel

Bishop George P. Gunn will conduct the Christmas Eve candle light service and communion at Eastern Shore Chapel at 8 p.m. December 24. There will be special Christmas music by the choir. The public is invited.

There will be no Sunday service at the Chapel.

Old Donation

Christmas Service and Music At Old Donation

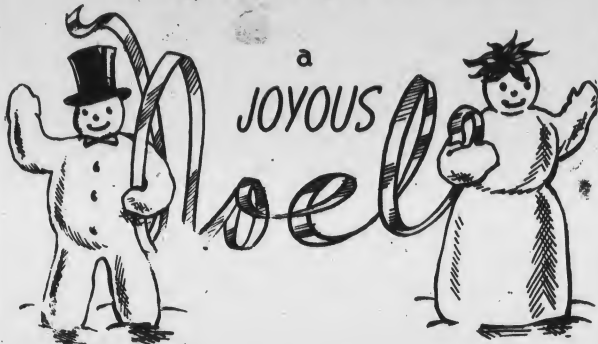
A Christmas Eve Service and Carol Program will be held at Old Donation Episcopal Church from 11 to 11:30 p.m. The program will be as follows:

Processional hymn: O Come, All Ye Faithful, Adesle Fideles, Cantus Diversi.

Carols: While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks By Night, Richard Storrs Willis; Hark the Herald Angels Sing, 13th century Plainsong; It Came Upon the Midnight Clear, English melody; solo: Cantique de Noel, by A. Adams, sung by R. L. Beale; All My Heart This Night Rejoices, Eberling; O Little Town of Bethlehem, English melody; The First Noel, traditional melody.

11:30 p.m., Ante Communion and Sermon—Kyrle, Tours; Gloria Tibi, Anon; sermon hymn: Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne, Timothy Matthews; offertory: Good Christian Men Rejoice, 14th century melody; Sursum Corda, J. Camidge; Sanctus, Taylor; Communion hymn: Silent Night, Franz Gruber; Gloria in Excelsis, old Scottish Chant; Nunc Dimittis, W. Hine; recessional hymn: Sing, O Sing, This Blessed Morn. (Continued on page eight)

Wishing Each of Our Friends



- FANTONE'S -

9:45 a.m. in the church, with Christmas carols and the Christmas Story. There will be no 11:00 a.m. Sunday school.

There will be someone in charge of the nursery department at 11 o'clock, however, for the benefit of those parents who wish to attend church at that time.

Christmas Eve Music Program
Prelude: "Christmas Medley," organ and chimes.

Processional Hymn: "Angels we have heard on high" (Gloria in Excelsis Deo).

Carols: "Good Christian Men, Rejoice," "Silent Night, Holy Night," "God Rest You Merry Gentlemen," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," by the Choir; "Deck the Hall with Boughs of Holly," Kyrie eleison—J. Christopher Marks.

Gradual solo, by Mrs. James A. Kelley: "Jesu Bambino," Pietro Yon.

Sermon Hymn: "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear."

Offertory Anthem: "Blow, Winds, Softly Blow," German traditional melody.

Sanctus—Marks.

The Lord's Prayer—Sumner Salter.

Gloria in excelsis—Marks.

Recessional Hymn: "Hark! the

Herald Angels Sing!"
Postlude: "Noel in G," Louis-Claude Daquin.

Hymns for Christmas Day

11 a.m. Service—Processional: "O Come, All Ye Faithful"; Gradual: "Sing, O Sing, this Blessed Morn"; Sermon: "Angels, from the Realms of Glory"; Communion: "Bread of the World"; Recessional: "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing!"

First Baptist

A special program of Christmas music will be given at the 11 a.m. service on Christmas Day, along with the message from the pastor, the Rev. Ira D. S. Knight. There will be no evening service.

A Sunday school party was held for the children of the church on Wednesday evening.

Lynnhaven Presbyterian

Chaplain Thomas Davies, of the NAAS, will speak at the morning service at 11 o'clock, and a special program of traditional Christmas music has been arranged.

A children's Christmas party is



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Teen Age Club News Community House

WILLIAM H. FANTONE, Director

An Invitation

This is an invitation to all at Virginia Beach and in Princess Anne County to visit our club during the Christmas holidays. The Septem Society, with the aid of many of our teen agers, has decorated the lobby for Christmas. This year's decorations are the best yet and we ask all to stop by and see what our boys and girls have done. The children are proud of their work and they urge me to make this appeal.

In this article we take the opportunity to thank all who helped to make our Community House a success. May the coming year be a greater one for our club and may this Christmas be a happy one for all of you.

Respectfully,
Wm. H. Fantone, Director

Bits of the Beach

We are all glad to see so many of our college boys home for the Christmas holidays. Among them are Billy Carson, Dean Potter, Jack Wroten, Hal Lackey, Billy Ames, Sweep Gilmer, and Greenville Wright, John Dyer, Jimmy Wilson.

Three cheers!!! The Community House basketball team won the game against Oceana last Monday night!

Did you know that Jane Williams left for Williamsburg Thursday? We all hope she has a good time. Patsy Conway keeps getting calls from Norfolk. Could it be Parks??? Carol Smedley has a crush on F. A. Fred Ridge finds science class very fascinating... wonder why?? Connie Cooke went to Chapel Hill last week-end??? Wilber Snow is proving to be quite interesting to the girls at O. H. S. this year?? Joanne Johnson is moving to Chicago in January? We sure will miss her, right Vernon? Becky M. is going to Blackstone over the holidays? That the Carol S. and Bobby G. love affair has gone to the dogs?—who happened, Carol? John Vagos is home from Carolina—but he's going back after Xmas.

Can you imagine: Jeanette Coleman not thinking about a certain boy... Bobby Bourdon without Elaine... Sibyl White being fat... Skeets Casey in rags... Wilson Johnson without his hat on... Bobby Rice being serious... Bruce Jones not having some girl's ring... Tommy Lucas crying... Catherine Meeks and Anne Lucas being on time... Boyd with Leggie.

—The Snooper

Septem Club Turns Decorators

Have all of you teen agers noticed how pretty the Community House looks since the Septem Club got busy and decorated it? Saturday afternoon the girls came down here and we decorated it with the needed help of several of the willing boys. All of the teen agers were supposed to try and bring on decoration each, but we could not get enough ornaments to put on the tree from the teen agers themselves, so Mr. Fantone gave us enough money to buy some. In front of the building over the door, we have a pretty spray of holly, pine boughs, and red, red ribbon. In front of the fireplace we have put up a tree. It sure looks swell. Behind the tree, on each side of the hearth, are tacked bunches of holly and pine. There is a green light shining through the greens and some angel hair. Over all of the doors are several bunches of greens without the light shining through them. The girls went to the grocery store and bought some starch. We dipped the holly and pine boughs in starch and water and then sprinkled starch and "snow" over them. The result was really beautiful. We are expecting to put some mistletoe up along with the holly and the pine if we can get some. (This is a fine chance for you boys.) We are really proud of the way the Community House is decorated. If you want to see something really pretty, come on down and pay us a visit.

—JoAnne Johnson

Jr. Women's Christmas Party

Tuesday night, December 13, our club was the scene of a gay affair when the Junior Women of Virginia Beach gave a Christmas party for sixty children of Princess Anne County. Each child was brought to our club by the Junior Women and when the party was

held; ambition: to loaf; favorite song: All I Want for Christmas is Age-Nogg.

Name: Fred Ridge; address: 315 24½ Street; age: 20; place of birth: Nashville, Tenn.; ideal girl: real short and sorta blond; favorite sport: basketball; ambition: to go to the U. of Va.; most embarrassing moment: caught with a girl by her parents; favorite song: I Can Dream, Can't I?

Name: Bobby Rice; address: 208 27th Street; age: 18; place of birth: Va. Beach; ideal girl: Anne E.; favorite sport: all of 'em; ambition: to get married; when I was caught under the boardwalk; favorite song: Saturday Night Fish Fry.

Personal Interviews
Name: Eleanor Smedley; address: 422 Lakewood Circle; age: 16; place of birth: Atlantic City, N. J.; favorite sport: basketball; ideal boy: Tommy; ambition: to get married; most embarrassing moment: when I was chased one

night down to the club.
Name: Jane Williams; address: 1604 Pacific Avenue; age: 17; place of birth: Norfolk, Va.; favorite sport: football; ideal boy: Randy; ambition: to get married; most embarrassing moment: when

I ripped my bathing suit in public.
Name: Jeanette Coleman; address: 304-C 24th Street; age: 18; place of birth: Lynchburg, Va.; favorite sport: basketball; ideal boy: polite, good looking and sweet; ambition: to be chief op-

erator; most embarrassing moment: when a coin was slipped for me to choose between two boys.

Name: Joanne Johnson; address: 404 22nd Street; age: 16; place of birth: Coronado, Calif.;

favorite sport: football; ideal boy: Vernon; ambition: to be a veterinarian; most embarrassing moment: when I failed my first subject, geometry.

—The Inquiring Reporter

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4-H Clubs Reorganize, Set Aims for 1950

During the past week all 4-H Clubs in Princess Anne County have reorganized for 1950, electing officers, and are at the present busy enrolling members.

More interest was displayed at the meetings than at any time for the past several years, according to H. W. Omlin, county agent. It appears now that membership in the Princess Anne will be close to the 400 mark for 1950, he said.

Following is a summary of the individual clubs:

Creeds Junior—Mrs. May Bonney, leader; Mrs. L. C. Westcott, sponsor; Cecil Simpson, president; Lonnie Martin, vice president; Anne Lindsey, secretary; Frank Craft, reporter; prospective membership attending the meeting, 42.

Creeds Senior—Miss Helen Orensham, sponsor; Nita Etheridge, president; A. Leigh Waterman, vice president; Fay Williams, secretary; reporter not selected; prospective membership, 38.

Oceana Senior 4-H Club—Mrs. J. W. Brinkley, leader; Mrs. Ger-siddie Sandidge, sponsor; Warren Brinkley, president; Edward Wright, vice president; Audrey Morse, secretary; Johnny McCloud, reporter; Julian McDaniels and Rita Craig, song leaders; prospective membership, 32.

Oceana Junior 4-H Club—Mrs. D. S. Potter, leader; Miss Jacqueline Stone, leader; Robert Saunders, president; Mary Ann Billio, vice president; Barbara Calk, secretary; Margaret Forbes, reporter; Buddy Redfean, treasurer; prospective membership, 42.

Center 4-H Club—Mrs. Gertrude McClannan, leader; Mrs. Grace Fentress, sponsor; Martha Eue Riggs, president; Vernell Harris, vice president; Barbara Fahn, secretary; Vernon Eaton, reporter; prospective membership, 36.

Kempsville Junior 4-H Club—Mrs. L. D. Davis, leader; Mrs. Catherine Howell, sponsor; Patricia Lupton, president; Richard Hill, vice president; Isabell Robertson, secretary; Dorothy Fairer, reporter; and Jean Gee, song leader; prospective membership, 73.

Kempsville Senior 4-H Club—Mrs. R. F. Humphries, leader; Mrs. Louise Lee, sponsor; Glenn McClannan, president; Margaret Fentress, vice president; Ernestine Wright, secretary; Ralph Campbell, reporter; Glenn Lassiter, treasurer; Barbara Whitehead and Nancy Kirby, song leaders; prospective membership, 100.

Bayside 4-H Club—Mrs. Alvis Oliver, leader; Mrs. Margaret Fischer, sponsor; Nancy Goode, president; Bagley Walker, vice president; Jane Parker, secretary; Susanne Harrell, reporter; and Sara Sims, song leader; prospective membership, 30.

Kempsville Aims

The Kempsville 4-H Club adopted the following goals to be carried out during the club year—December 1, 1949 to December 1, 1950:

1. To collect old toys for the Christmas toy shop;
2. To fill Christmas baskets for needy families;
3. To have a scavenger hunt, preceded by a dinner at Marr's Dairy, followed by a party at someone's home;
4. To have 15 members attend 4-H Camp Farrar next summer;
5. To hold a 4-H Club beach party each month during next summer;
6. To put on a 4-H radio broadcast;
7. To send 10 members to the State Short Course at Blacksburg;
8. To arrange for the club officers to visit other club meetings in the county;
9. To arrange for the club officers to visit outstanding projects of members in other clubs and other counties;
10. To arrange for the entire club to attend the Atlantic Rural Exposition in Richmond next October;
11. To send at least 15 exhibits to the Atlantic Exposition;
12. To have at least 40 members take part in church services on Rural Life Sunday;
13. To plan a trip to Washington, D. C., during the cherry blossom season;
14. To hold a social activity every two months during the year;
15. To raise money for the 4-H Camp Farrar Building Fund;
16. To fill Easter baskets for needy children;
17. To invite other club officers or clubs in the county to attend one of its regular meetings;
18. To encourage every member to be an active member;
19. To assist in landscaping the

Kempsville School grounds;

20. To send a delegation of boys and girls to work on the grounds at 4-H Camp Farrar one day;
21. To give a 4-H program before the school assembly during the year.

Nutty Know-How

Don't expect nuts to defy the laws of gravity when you put them into a cake. Good House-keeping magazine reminds you

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SOCIAL NEWS

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PARTIES -- ANNOUNCEMENTS -- PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boykin and two children, who have been spending some time with Mrs. Boykin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerould Rumble, have moved to their new home in Norfolk.

Basil Manly arrived last week-end from V. P. I., Blacksburg, Va., to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Basil Manly, at her home on 52nd Street.

Mrs. Constance Moore has left to spend the holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Col. and Mrs. Blythe Moore, and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vessa Todd, at their homes in Richmond.

Miss Elizabeth Bain will leave next week by plane to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Andrew Hamilton, of the American Embassy, at their home in Havana, Cuba.

Mrs. Mason Johnson and her nephew, Pierre Elissabide, have left to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kratz at their home in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Thomas will be the guests for Christmas of Mrs. Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Carroll, in Martinsville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Holland, Jr., have returned to Suffolk, Va., after spending the week-end with Mrs. Holland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jett, at their home on Crystal Lake.

Capt. and Mrs. Douglas Stewart have moved from 75th Street and Atlantic Avenue to their new home on 75th Street.

Miss Katherine Wood will leave next week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Richard Salmon at their home in Charleston, S. C.

Mrs. John G. Tilton left yesterday to spend Christmas with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hix, in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Schaefer and young daughter have returned to their home in Tudor Heights after visiting Mrs. Schaefer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Hare, in Lynchburg, Va.

Mrs. William Murray, Mrs. Lelia M. Bissell and two sons, Allen and Leigh, will arrive today from Mountain Lakes, N. J., to spend the holidays with Mrs. Murray's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Warfield Leake, at their home on Avenue E.

Mrs. Louis Guy and her son, Louis Guy, will leave today for Port Lauderdale, Fla., to spend Christmas with Mrs. Guy's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Huffaker will be the guests for Christmas of Admiral and Mrs. S. E. McCarty, at their home in Philadelphia, Pa. They will be joined in Philadelphia by their daughter, Miss Mary Lou Huffaker, of Cambridge, Mass., who will also be the guest of Admiral and Mrs. McCarty.

Marriage of Miss Holland to Mr. Lineberry Takes Place Today

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Gregory Holland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Emily Smith, to Berlin Byron Lineberry, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Byron Lineberry, of Galax, Virginia.

The marriage will take place Friday, December 23, at Oakes Episcopal Church, Virginia Beach, Virginia.

Frank Morris Carroll has arrived from Shenandoah School of Music, Dayton, Va., to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Carroll, at their home in the Oakleigh apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis, Jr., and three children will be the guests for Christmas of Mr. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis, at their home, "Happy Creek," Gordonsville, Va.

Capt. and Mrs. Clarence N. Hinkamp have returned to their home in Bay Colony after visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Miss Sallie Goode will leave next week to spend New Year's in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Morecock, of Washington, D. C., are visiting Mrs. Morecock's aunt, Miss Florence Le Moine at her home on 38th Street.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Kibler, of Durham, N. C., announce the birth of a son, Robert Franklin Kibler, Jr., Thursday, December 23, in Durham. Mrs. Kibler is the former Jane Kornegay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Kornegay.

Mrs. Thomas Towles, of Charlottesville, Va., arrived Tuesday to visit Mrs. C. M. Bain and Miss Elizabeth Bain at their home on 38th Street.

Perry Sowell, of Richmond, will be the guest for Christmas of his mother, Mrs. Alice Sowell, at the Clay Boy cottage on 19th Street.



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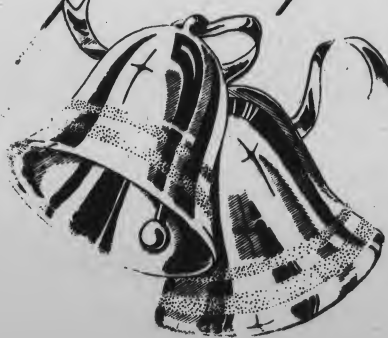
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Christmas Party

The Pango Home Demonstration Club held a Christmas party last Saturday, reported by the 30 members to have been a huge success. President of the club is Mrs. Vivian McClanan.

Mrs. Virginia McClanan has been named reported for the club.

Miss Kirkland Tucker, a student at Sweet Briar College, will spend this week-end in Charlottesville and attend a fraternity party on Saturday evening. Miss Tucker will leave Sunday for New York where she will be a guest at the New York Debutante Ball to be held Monday evening at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel.

MRS. KING ENTERTAINS AT LUNCHEON HONORING HER DAUGHTER, MISS BEVAN

Mrs. Waverly Greiter King entertained Thursday at her home on Fochonias Drive at a luncheon in honor of her daughter, Miss Betty Wrenn Bevan, who has arrived from St. Mary's College, Raleigh, N. C., to spend Christmas with her mother. The guests invited were Misses Julia Moore, Sally Gray, Martha Hill, Constance Phelps, Mary Doble Driver, Kirkland Tucker, Sally Gueyry, Caroline Hughes, May McNamara, Leighton Simmons, Janet Gregory, Cordelia Michie, Ann Rixey, Bruce Staples, Katherine Martiu, and Mary Seawell.

Frank Smith, Jr., and Charles Smith will arrive this week-end from V. P. L. Blacksburg, Va., to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, at their home in Cavalier Park.

Miss Mary Kellam has left to spend Christmas with her family on the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

Marriage of Miss Lottie Lewis to Mr. Woollen in Durham, N. C.

CAPT. MRS. HINKAMP WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY WITH EGG-NOGG PARTY

Capt. and Mrs. Clarence N. Hinkamp will entertain at their usual Christmas egg-nogg party which will celebrate their thirty-fourth wedding anniversary. Capt. and Mrs. Hinkamp have entertained at anniversary parties in countries all over the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitmark Mitchell and son, Mark, moved Monday to their new home at 415 Duke Drive, Green Acres, Portsmouth. Mrs. Mitchell is the former Miss Vera Potter, of Oceana.

Basil McBoy Duncan, Jr., will arrive tomorrow from Hampden Sydney College to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Basil McBoy Duncan, at their home on 82nd Street.

St. Philip's Episcopal Church, Durham, N. C., was the setting for a wedding of interest on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, when Miss Lottie Sharp Lewis, daughter of Kemp Plummer Lewis, of Durham and Virginia Beach, and the late Mrs. Lewis, became the bride of Charles Thomas Woollen, Jr., son of Mrs. Charles Thomas Woollen, of Chapel Hill, and the late Mr. Woollen.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Clarence R. Haden, rector, in the presence of relatives and friends. The altar was arranged with calla lilies and lighted candles. The church organist played the wedding music; the choir sang.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a wedding gown of white chiffon velvet, with sweetheart neckline, and a long circular train. Her finger-tip veil of illusion fell from a coronet of iridescent pearls and she carried a bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Henry C. Bridgers, Jr., of Norfolk, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Miss Eleanor Southgate, of Durham, was maid of honor. They wore gowns of ceramic blue satin, with matching headresses, and carried bouquets of red roses.

Lt. Comdr. William S. Woollen, SUN, was his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Joseph C. Webb, Frank H. Kenan, N. A. Gregory, Richard H. Lewis, Jr., Evan Gordon McIver, Jr., all of Durham, and Comdr. Henry C. Bridgers, Jr., of Norfolk.

A reception was held at the Hope Valley Country Club. Later, Mr. and Mrs. Woollen left for a wedding trip to New Orleans. They will make their home in New York. The bride wore for traveling a sereento blue suit with black velvet trim, black accessories, and a corsage of white orchids.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Reno, of Virginia Beach, were among the out-of-town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Phelan have returned to their home in Bay Colony after spending a few days in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Caulfield will leave this week-end to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Lieut. (jg) and Mrs. Walter C. Robey, at their home in Wickford, R. I.

William Flynn, a student at V. P. L. Blacksburg, Va., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Flynn, at their home on 22nd Street.

Oliver Brown, Jr., has arrived from the University of Pennsylvania to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Brown, on 22nd Street.



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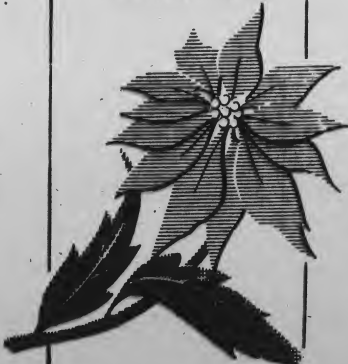
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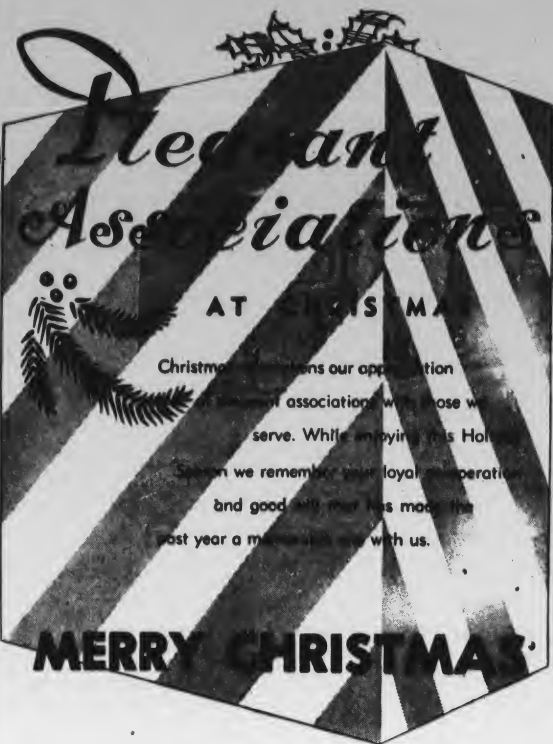
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Beta Sigma Phi Sororities Join to Form City Council

Virginia Beach's Alpha Chi chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority, joined with Alpha Rho and Beta Alpha chapters in Norfolk, in forming the first Norfolk City Council. Four members of the local chapter attended the meeting. Mrs. Robert H. Buss and Mrs. Leland Ishee, members of the Virginia Beach Beta Sigma Phi sorority's Alpha Chi chapter, were elected as corresponding secretary and treasurer respectively. Mrs. Lonnie B. Woolford, president of the Alpha Chi chapter, and Mrs. John F. Kull, also a member of the Beach chapter, attended the specially called meeting in the studios of WTAR last week when the Norfolk City Council was formed.

The Alpha Rho and Beta Alpha chapter, of Norfolk, were joined by the Alpha Chi chapter in organizing the council. There are fifteen members in the new council, five from each chapter, including the three presidents.

The purpose of the City Council is to facilitate interchapter work and to plan city-wide events. These City Councils are formed in cities all over the United States where two or more chapters are located.

Alice Brewer White, Norfolk City sponsor, presided at the meeting until Mrs. N. P. McClanahan, Alpha Rho chapter, was elected president of the Council.

The first business of the newly formed group was the election of Mrs. C. Hodson Carper to the general chairmanship of the eleventh annual State Beta Sigma Phi Convention, which is to be held at the Hotel Cavalier October 21-22, 1950. At the next City Council meeting, January 4, plans for convention committees will be formulated.

The Virginia Beach chapter met Tuesday evening in the club room of the Prince Charles Hotel.

The "mother" of the American Christmas Seal was the late Miss Emily P. Bissell, of Wilmington, Del., who designed the first Christmas Seal and put on the first Seal Sale in this country.



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A Home Demonstration Club was officially organized at Virginia Beach Thursday, December 8, at the home of Mrs. W. A. Sheffy, under the auspices of Miss Jean Craig, home agent. Miss Craig gave an outline of the history, operations and purpose of the Home Demonstration Clubs. A discussion period was also held.

Those present at the organizational meeting were: Mrs. Louise Sanderlin, Mrs. Jack Miner, Mrs. Helen Strancius, Mrs. Robert Wilson, Mrs. Lucille Carroll, Mrs. Clarence Foster, Mrs. Mark White, Mrs. Lucy Hauser, Mrs. Harriet MacDonald, and Mrs. Sheffy.

A demonstration relating to "Christmas decorations for the home," was given by Mrs. Sheffy and Mrs. Miner.

Officers elected are as follows: Mrs. Jack Miner, president; Mrs. W. H. Sheffy, vice president; Mrs. Mark White, secretary and reporter; and Mrs. Clarence Foster, treasurer.

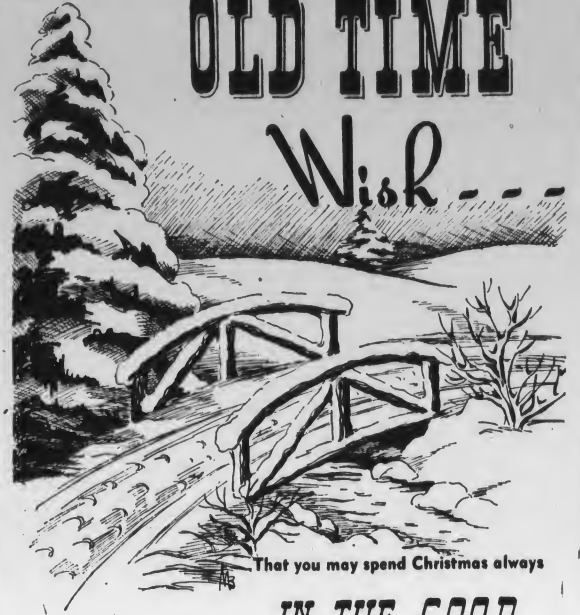
The second Thursday of each month was designated as the regular monthly meeting night. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. MacDonald on 28th Street.

LT. COMDR. CREEKMORE GRADUATED FROM NAVAL GENERAL LINE SCHOOL

Lt. Comdr. Edmund W. Creekmore, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Creekmore, of 410 24th Street, was graduated December 16 as a member of the second class of 500 officers at the Naval General Line School at Monterey, Calif.

Formerly a Naval Reserve Officer, he transferred to the regular Navy and was sent to the school for further training. In this intensive ten months' course, which he has just completed, the Navy taught him a broad professional education comparable to that which a regular Navy officer receives at the Naval Academy before reporting to the fleet.

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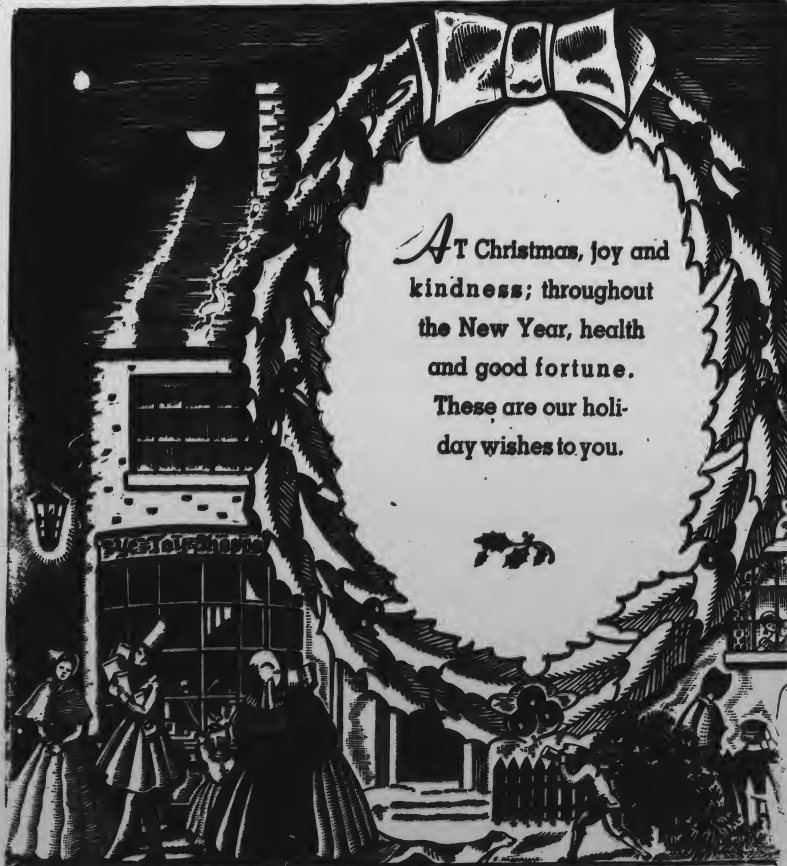


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Chaplain L. A. Dodson will conduct the Christmas service of worship in the Chapel at Fort Story at 11 a.m. Christmas morning.

George Harris

Death took George Harris, colored, early this month. Harris was well known on Virginia Beach, where he worked as a butler and handy man to local families. He numbered many of the white citizens among his friends.

Harris, who was born in Hunt-ersville, Va., lived for many years in Norfolk and Virginia Beach. During the World War he served in the U. S. Army.

He was buried Sunday, December 11, in Norfolk.

James Edward Jard Dies Wednesday

James Edward Jard, long-time resident of Virginia Beach and retired member of the U. S. Coast Guard, serving at the time Virginia Beach was a lonely outpost, died Wednesday in his 85th year. Born in 1864 in Poplar Beach, Currituck County, N. C., the son of James Edward Jard, Mr. Jard entered the United States Coast Guard at an early age, retiring after 36 years service as a Chief Boatswain in 1924.

He was a charter member of Virginia Beach Lodge 2774, A. F. & A. M., a member of Norfolk's Royal Arch Chapter, Grice Knights Templar, No. 16, and Khedive Temple.

He is survived by two sons, Kenneth I. Jard and Lloyd M. Jard, both of Virginia Beach, and by six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at Oliver's Funeral Home in Norfolk at 2 p.m. Friday (today), with Chaplain L. W. Meachum, the Rev. Frank Van Dyck, the Rev. W. J. Mead, and the Rev. Dr. Ira D. S. Knight officiating. Interment will be in Forrest Lawn Cemetery.

Social

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Mr. and Mrs. James Elliott Heath, Jr., and young daughter left Wednesday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Heath's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hopes, in Wilmington, Del.

Henry Clay Perry, Jr., will arrive tomorrow from Palm Beach, Fla., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Perry, at their home on 19th Street.

Nicholas McCully, a student at Patterson Episcopal School, Leeswood, N. C., is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Clara McCully, at her home in Linkhorn Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira E. Church are spending Christmas and the holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Minnerly, and family, in North Tarrytown, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Richardson will leave today to visit Mrs. Richardson's mother, Mrs. H. S.

ANNE OSBORN MEMBER OF ALPHA PSI OMEGA, NATIONAL DRAMATIC FRATERNITY

Anne Osborn, of Virginia Beach, a student at Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia, has been made a member of Alpha Psi Omega, a national dramatic fraternity. She appeared in the recent college production of "The Women."

Miss Osborn is one of the authors of the senior benefit, "Future Edition," presented recently.

Christmas Seals are sold in 20 countries to raise money to fight tuberculosis.

Matthews, at her home in Richmond.

Miss Amelle Maspero, of New Orleans, La., is the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Comdr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Lindsay, at their home in Bird Neck Point.

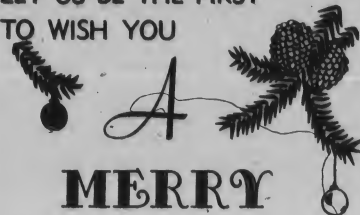
Miss Nancy Lee Leonard, a student at Goucher College, Baltimore, Md., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Warfield Leeke, and Mr. Leeke, at their home on Avenue E.

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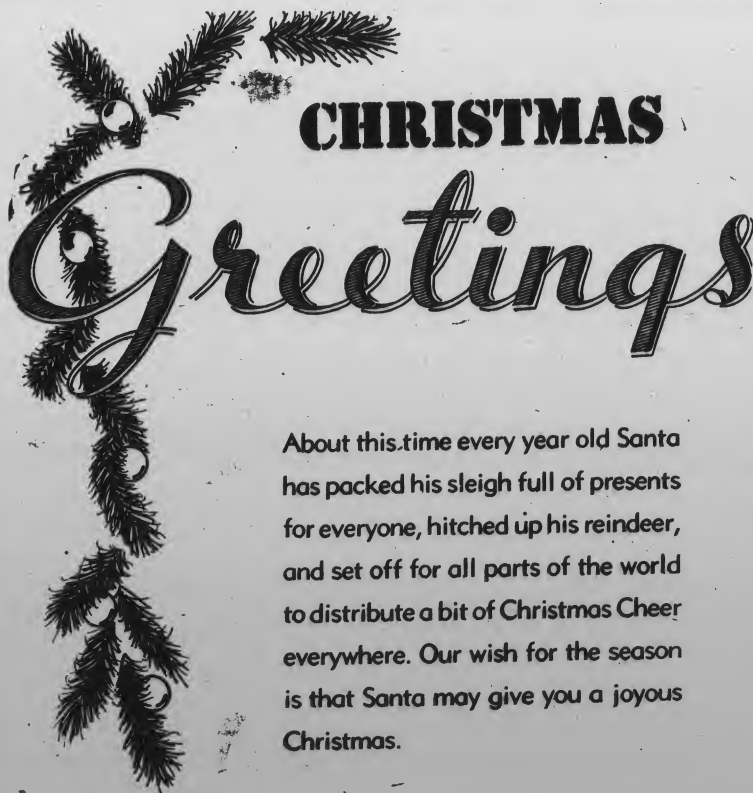
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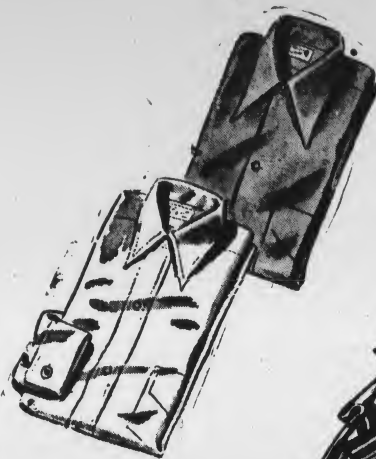
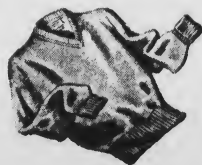
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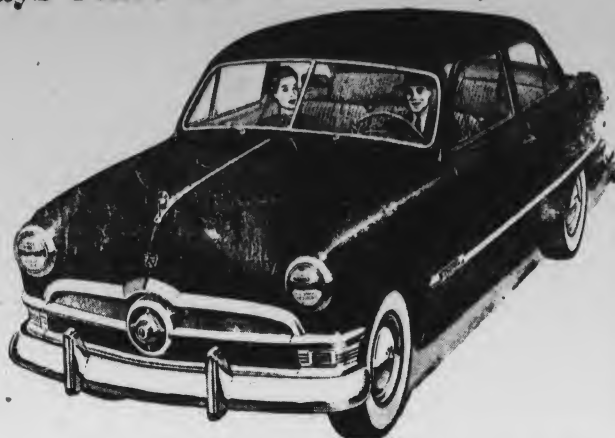
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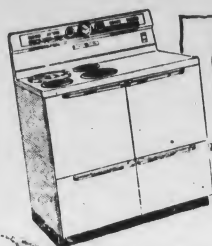
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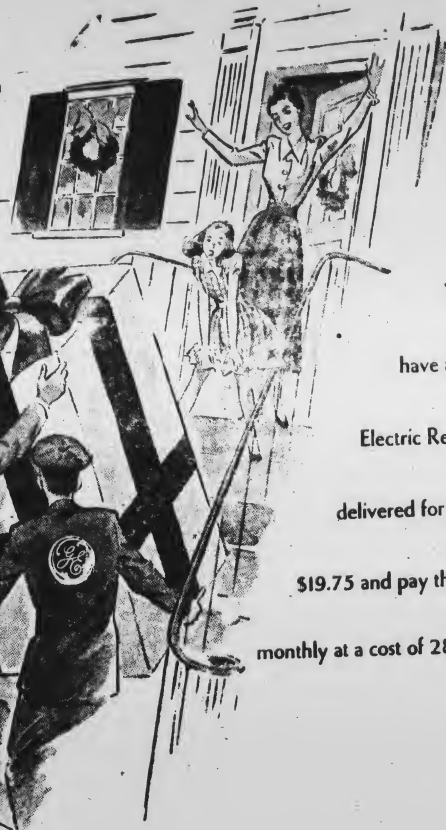
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